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EASTERN NEWS.

[SPECIAL TO THE OREGONIAN]

Employer and Employed

[illegible] —The Granite and Crescent [illegible] and Merchants to-day [illegible] about wages. The weavers [illegible] that one thousand of their num[illegible] back to England—half fare to be ad[illegible]. It is held that this will be much [illegible] than keeping them upon the [illegible]. The spinners working will be [illegible] per week each, while the difficulty con[illegible] they are willing to sub[illegible] to arbitration.

[illegible] the Pennsylvania Legislature

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—A Harrisburg dispatch gives [illegible] of a disgraceful scene in the Pennsyl[illegible] House of Representatives yesterday during a [illegible] contest over a petition in reference [illegible] election case of Republican Wolff [illegible] came in conflict with the Speaker who [illegible] him to be put under arrest when [illegible] rallied to his defense and [illegible] him from the Sergeant-at-arms.

[illegible] Kills Brother

[illegible] Feb. 2.—At Sheffield, Bureau county, Ill. [illegible] his brother Henry [illegible] family matters. Henry [illegible] inches tall was [illegible] house with the avowed [illegible] him when the latter fired at [illegible] the ball entering his [illegible] and respected.

[illegible] West Virginia

[illegible] 2.—Ballot for U. S. Sen[illegible] Walker 20, Camden [illegible], Price 13, scatter[illegible].

[illegible]

[illegible] steamship Acapulco [illegible] New York yesterday. The [illegible] at Panama from San [illegible] and Colima from San [illegible] yesterday.

[illegible] Stock Report.

[illegible] closed 16¾. Govern[illegible] Stocks [illegible] Union 73¾, Quicksilver [illegible] Pacific Mail 37⅞, New York [illegible] Panama 111½, Union Pacific [illegible], Central Pacific Bonds 93.

[illegible]

[illegible] Feb. 2—Specie engagements for Eu[illegible] 000, gold coin. To-day's ship[illegible] 000.

WASHINGTON CITY.

[illegible]

[illegible] Feb. 2.—A bill reported favorably [illegible] committee on civil service to-day [illegible] two years after the 1st of July next [illegible] ding $1,000 a year in all branches [illegible] service, civil and military, shall [illegible] per cent.

CONGRESSIONAL.

[illegible] Feb. 2—The House met at 10 A. M. [illegible] of Monday's session, when, after [illegible] Butler of Mass. moved to suspend the rules so as to give [illegible] on rules the privilege of reporting [illegible]. Rejected. Yeas 1[illegible], nays 30—less [illegible] affirmative.

[illegible] filibustering, the majority [illegible] by one vote in suspending the [illegible] committee on rules reported through [illegible] to prevent filibustering and dis[illegible].

Mr. Cameron presented the creden[illegible] Wallace, Senator from Pennsyl[illegible].

[illegible] a petition of Jas. Brooks [illegible] governor of Arkansas and [illegible] now withheld from him by [illegible] by action of Congress [illegible] ordered printed and referred [illegible] a resolution instructing [illegible] to inquire into existing [illegible] District of Columbia, if any to [illegible] in the district [illegible] to report a bill to confer [illegible].

[illegible] Sargent, who was to ad[illegible] matters to-day, had [illegible] and could not speak to-day [illegible] an Indian [illegible] for discussion of bills [illegible].

[illegible] Feb. 2.—In the Senate Windom [illegible] submitted a [illegible] on by the com[illegible] appropriations for [illegible] water routes.

[illegible] up the bill to an[illegible] of Indiana, in New York [illegible] and Alleghany [illegible] leases. A [illegible] and Hamilton of [illegible] the bill as part of a scheme to [illegible] they had held [illegible] and the title to [illegible] was in the United [illegible] of the In[illegible] and McCreery [illegible] defended the [illegible] to 17. After an execu[illegible] adjourned.

[illegible] at 10 A. M. [illegible] to suspend the [illegible] committee on rules leave to [illegible] to the rules pro[illegible] the consideration of such report [illegible] shall be entertained by the [illegible].

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

[illegible] Statement

[illegible] withdrawn from [illegible] amounted to £51,000.

[illegible] Candidate.

[illegible] has resolved to make [illegible] for Parliament from [illegible].

[illegible] Chinese Emperor.

[illegible] The Pall Mall Gazette says a pri[illegible] confirms the reported [illegible] the Empress over [illegible] a son of the seventh [illegible] Emperor and [illegible].

[illegible]

[illegible] the deteriora[illegible], moral, or physical?

[illegible] Assuredly not. Perhaps the [illegible] old Gre[illegible] intended at certain festivals to [illegible] the whole free male populace of the [illegible] the colossal Latin [illegible] to show the [illegible] the [illegible] more noble than are the [illegible] and Melpomene in our day, but it [illegible] with either Athe[illegible] Roman amphitheater the [illegible] play-house, constructed within and [illegible] due regard for the comfort of a [illegible] and that [illegible]. It may even be doubted [illegible] of amphitheater [illegible] in cost or beauty the opera [illegible] of the drama. In [illegible] and properties in the [illegible] mounting, and in general [illegible] the stage has taken a step for[illegible] our scenery is better than in [illegible], we need no longer hang [illegible] that this is a wood [illegible] on the stage is often artistic [illegible] effects are pro[illegible] and Garrick would have [illegible]. No expense is spared [illegible] by Mr. Booth or Mr. Daly on [illegible] revivals probably [illegible] of the original pro[illegible] plays. In archæo[illegible] and propriety of costume the [illegible] the original. We all [illegible] Hamlet and the [illegible] Racine's ancient Ita[illegible] court dress of Louis XIV.

[illegible] the costume archi[illegible] of the English stage [illegible], has been complete [illegible] of the still living J. R. [illegible] who have seen the recent [illegible] revivals in New York know to [illegible] has been carried historical [illegible] But no one at all familiar with [illegible] denies its physical progress [illegible] advance is even made a reproach [illegible] is asserted that the mental is subordinated [illegible] that the mind is starved while [illegible] that a play to be successful [illegible] "real pumps" and real water [illegible] is often just, but it is nothing [illegible] be seriously urged that [illegible] morally deteriorated. On the [illegible] improved in honesty and in [illegible].—The Galaxy for February.

[illegible] county which pays $583 80 State [illegible] settled $500 of it. Marion [illegible] paid up. Multnomah still [illegible] having paid $30,000.

THE TILTON-BEECHER CASE

Tilton's Testimony Continued.

BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, Feb. —In the [illegible] her once [illegible] on Tilton resumed his [illegible] an interview with Beecher at witness [illegible] the second week in February, when witness asked him with reference to the little boy Ralph, telling him [illegible] Elizabeth gave the date of the beginning of the [illegible] course as the 10th of October 1868 and asking him if she was correct. Beecher replied he [illegible] not remember, but thought she was right. [illegible] [illegible] that was the end of the interview, which lasted [illegible] minutes. Witness then related an interview with Beecher and Moulton at the latter's house after the publication of Mrs. Woodhull's card. Witness told Beecher of Woodhull's coming to his office with the card and stating its content, and also told him of his Moulton's interview with Woodhull at her house, and said after leaving the house Moulton said he thought the woman was not in her right mind, and it was from that time Moulton, Beecher and witness were in consultation to stop the circulation of her stories. Beecher was greatly agitated over the matter, but Moulton told him there was no cause for alarm, as they could easily keep her quiet. A policy of conciliation was decided on, and in pursuance of that order they resolved to introduce her to Mrs. Tilton and Mrs. Moulton. Beecher said Mrs. Beecher would not become acquainted with her. In further pursuance of this arrangement, witness published an article in the Golden Age about the enfranchisement of women, in which he alluded to Woodhull; also wrote a tract claiming the right of suffrage for women on the ground that they were citizens of the United States. Subsequently she brought witness a biographical sketch of herself written by her husband and asked him to revise it, which he did, and afterwards published it.

Witness then told of his presiding at Woodhull's meeting in Cooper Institute when she lectured on finance, and of subsequently introducing her at the Steinway Hall meeting. Witness added it was on account of the publication of the pamphlet "Tit for Tat" that I relinquished Mrs. Woodhull, and I say here that Henry Ward Beecher is responsible for my intimacy with Mrs. Woodhull. Witness was under a promise to go to Steinway Hall on the evening in question, and had contemplated going. The Tit for Tat article was brought to witness by some person—he thought a lady from California.

Witness then related interview with Beecher in which the latter endeavored to persuade him to ask the latter's dismissal from Plymouth Church, which witness declined, on the ground that there was no reason for it.

Witness next related an interview with Beecher on the cars, when Beecher said there was no peace any more on earth for him. He saw nothing but trouble for him all. Witness told him that if he met the matter boldly there could be no danger to his work, not to be downcast, and to relieve his mind of all apprehension.

Witness then related the circumstances of his settlement with Bowen and the [illegible] of the tripartite agreement bringing out nothing new. He also related consultations between himself, Moulton and Beecher in regard to the policy to be pursued in regard to Woodhull's publication of the scandal. Witness wanted Beecher to deny the [illegible] and said he wouldn't contradict the denial. I told him I was angry that he put on me the responsibility of meeting the Woodhull story, and all the odium was left on my shoulders. Court here took a recess.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—After recess Tilton resumed relating the circumstances of the interview at Moulton's house between himself, Moulton, Woodruff and Tracy. Evarts objected, and the court told him he could take exception. Tilton then related the interview, giving with no great difference the story before testified to by Moulton and Woodruff, including the pledge given by Tracy not to act in any way as Beecher's counsel if Beecher and Tilton came in collision. His expressed regard, contradiction and declaration that in this case lying was justified, and his telling witness that the publication of facts would not only ruin Tilton's wife and Beecher but witness also, is the word I would never forgive him for revealing his wife's crime. Witness next told of an interview with Beecher when the latter told of Mrs. Hooker's threat to mount his pulpit and read his confession of connection with Mrs. Tilton. Witness promised to see Mrs. Hooker and did see her at the house of a lady friend of hers in New York whose name is a matter of delicacy, and he didn't deem it necessary to mention. The court said it was not necessary, and a lively dispute ensued between Evarts and Fullerton as to the ground on which the name should be withheld, though both said they didn't want it. Mr. Tilton said he induced Mrs. Hooker to relinquish her design, and Beecher expressed gratitude therefor. At a subsequent interview at Moulton's Beecher declared that he could no longer agree on a policy of silence in regard to the Woodhull scandal, that the public would believe where there was so much smoke there must be some fire, and suggested that some leading paper publish an editorial to the effect that the Woodhull story grew out of Bowen's stories which he had since denied. Tilton objected to this, as Bowen had signed the tripartite agreement only at the solicitation of Claflin, and often said that a coach and four could be driven through the agreement, and if Bowen was driven to the wall he would fight, and if he had evidence he would be a dangerous antagonist. Beecher said he thought Bowen had no proof. Tilton then told of his interview with Dr. Storrs and Beecher's regret thereat. Subsequently witness told Beecher that Mrs. Tilton urged the policy of complete denial of the matter, and that he told her she could do what she chose on her own responsibility, and she wrote a card for publication which he showed to Beecher, with a statement that Mrs. Tilton wished him (Beecher) also to write a card denying the charges. Beecher said it would be useless unless witness promised not to make the denial of no effect. Witness told him he had nothing to fear unless he was an aggressor, in which case he (witness) would defend himself at all hazards. Beecher then sat down, wrote a note of which witness had a photographic copy. Fullerton called on counsel for the defense to produce the original in Beecher's handwriting. Shearman first said he did not know what paper was meant, but finally produced it. Fullerton read it as follows:

BROOKLYN, Dec. 29, 1872.—I solemnly deny that scandalous charge made against me and Mrs. Tilton, and I deny that there has been any criminal relations between us or any color or reason for the charge. My acquaintance with Mrs. Tilton has ever been that of the greatest respect. I here desire to state in addition that Mr. Tilton, during the whole of this shameful scandal, has invariably spoken in the highest terms of his wife and has shown to me the highest proof of friendship.

H. W. BEECHER.

Mr. Beecher submitted the card to witness, who thought it would be satisfactory, and Carpenter, who was present, went at witness' request and brought Mrs. Tilton, who expressed herself satisfied with the card. Nothing came of the card.

A SAD STORY

EIGHT CHILDREN DIE OF DIPTHERIA IN TEN DAYS

The family of E. B. Murray have been the greatest sufferers we ever knew. In ten days commencing with Dec. 29 eight children from three to seventeen years of age, died with diptheria. Two of them were taken to North Granville Dec. 31 and buried. Four of them were subsequently placed temporarily in the receiving vault at Boardman's cemetery as it was necessary to get them out of the house where the others were suffering. Two more died last week, one on Wednesday heretofore chronicled in this paper, and the last, Emma, aged 15, following her brothers and sisters on Friday last. The scenes in the afflicted household was one long to be remembered by those who witnessed the terrible agony of the dying. The poor father of the eight children, who had lost his wife and another child last July, was too full of grief for even utterance. One by one he watched his loved ones snatched away from before his eyes. One by one the cold forms of his idols were laid in their coffins. He witnessed the terrible writhings and gasping for breath of his dying children, yet he was powerless to give them aid. It was awful to behold his mental anguish. Only a few days ago his eight children were laughing and joyous, and now by the hand of death each one that had been a comfort to the lonely parent, was alas called to join their mother. Most of the children seemed to realize that they must die and spoke of being with their mother in heaven. The last one, Emma, expressed a will to live that she might be a comfort to her poor father, but the hand of Providence willed otherwise for she soon joined the circle in the other world. On Sunday forenoon two double sleighs bore away to North Granville six coffins containing the remains of the deceased. It was a sad sight, our [illegible] and never shall we forget the scene. Prayers were held at the house before leaving here. When the remains arrived at North Granville, the Methodist church congregation, who had been just dismissed from morning service, repaired to the cemetery, where the services at the graves were performed by Rev. Mr. Craig of North Granville. The Methodist church was then opened, when the mourners and delegations entered to warm. After the return of the agonized father and relatives from North Granville, a funeral sermon was preached by Rev. Mr. Haynes at the Presbyterian church. We hope we shall never again be called upon to chronicle such an event as the death of eight members of one family in ten short days.—Whitehall (N. Y.) Times, Jan. 13.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

From San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2.—John Boyce, drayman in the employ of the car contractor, has been missing since Sunday afternoon. It is feared he is drowned. On leaving home he was under the influence of liquor, and told his wife he would return in a few moments. Yesterday a man reported at the harbor police station that a man answering Boyce's description was drowned from Broadway wharf on the same morning at 5:30 o'clock by walking overboard in the dark. The informant almost drowned himself in the endeavor to save the unfortunate man. It is believed the drowned man was Mr. Boyce, although the body has not yet been recovered. There have occurred several cases of this kind in that locality in consequence of the neglect of the lamplighter to ignite the gaslight on the wharf.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2.—At 11 o'clock the King and suite and the United States Minister at Hawaii, Mr. Pierce, were escorted to carriages by Consul Severance, and whirled to the Pacific Mail Co.'s steamer McPherson, which received the party and carried them to the steam frigate. His Majesty was received with appropriate honors, the yards being manned and a royal salute fired. The Pensacola was beautifully dressed in honor of the occasion. A line of colors extended from the water to the jibboom end, thence to the fore mast head, main, mizzen, spanker boom and to the water aft. The Hawaiian flag floated from the mainmast head.

In consequence of an accident on board it is possible the Pensacola may not leave to-night. While hoisting on board the stern launch, preparatory to getting under way, one of the tackles by which the launch was suspended gave way, allowing the boat to strike heavily against the steamer's smokestack, breaking it partly off close to the deck. At 2:30 P. M. men were busily engaged butting chains around it to which to attach stays to hold it in place. As it is low water on the bar at 5 o'clock and nearly dark, the probabilities are the ship will not leave port till morning. Among the passengers is Col. A. B. Steinberger, Commissioner of the United States to the Samoan Islands, whose previous visits to the islands in behalf of the Government was mentioned about a year ago. The United States informally established close relations with the islands on the occasion of Col. Steinberger's previous visits. This time the islands will probably be taken under the protection of the Government.

Interior California.

BANTAS, Feb. 2.—On Saturday P. B. Campbell sent one of our citizens, James Giblan, a challenge to fight a duel, which was accepted, but before the appointed time the parties were arrested. A partial examination was had before Judge Hay. To-day great indignation is expressed by all law abiding citizens in this vicinity, and prosecution fully expected. The examination was continued until to-morrow morning.

ESPARTERO.

An exchange has the following biographical sketch of Gen. Espartero, the Spanish statesman who died in December last:

Don Baldomero Espartero, Duke de la Victoria, marshal and at one time regent of Spain, was born in 1792 at Granatula in La Mancha. The youngest of the nine children of a cartwright, he was intended on account of his feeble constitution for the priesthood, but in 1808, when the French invaded Spain, he enrolled himself as a volunteer in the body of students called the Sacred Battalion, and was placed at a military school until his twenty-third year, when he entered upon active service as sub lieutenant. Upon the expulsion of Napoleon from Spain his restless spirit led him to join Gen. Morillo in the South American colonies. He returned to Spain, and in 1833, when Ferdinand VII died, took a decided part in favor of his daughter Isabella II, opposed Zumalacarreguy, and sustained many defeats, but the tide of victory at length turned, and in 1841 Espartero became regent of Spain and governed the country with a fair share of success, although continually thwarted by intrigue. When Gen. Narvaez entered Madrid in 1843 Gen. Espartero compelled to retire, sought the protection of a British man of war, and sailed to England. Having remained for some time in London he was invited to return to Spain, where he resided as a private citizen until June 1854. In July Queen Isabella, much against her will, having sent for Gen. Espartero and commissioned him to resume the direction of affairs, he entered the capital, and in conjunction with Gen. O'Donnell, his former rival, formed a ministry July 19, but his government encountered great difficulties in the corruption of the court and of the administrative departments, in the hostility of the clergy, the restlessness of the Carlists, and the fickleness and insubordination of its own professed supporters. At length in the summer of 1856, matters came to a crisis. It was impossible that two such men as Espartero and O'Donnell could work together in harmony for any length of time. Gen. Espartero was dismissed, and insurrections broke out in Madrid, Barcelona and Saragossa, but he took no part in the quarrels made in his name, and again lost one of the most brilliant positions that fortune or military prestige could offer. In 1857 he resigned his dignity as senator, and since that time has rarely appeared in connection with Spanish politics. After the revolution of 1868, which ended in the expulsion of Queen Isabella, Gen. Espartero gave his hearty adhesion to the provisional government, although he took no active part in the events of that period. In May, 1869, during the debates on the policy of re-establishing the monarchial form of government, a deputy, Senor Garrido, suggested that Espartero should be chosen King of Spain, but the proposal was not favorably received in the cortes.

OREGON

There seems to be a good deal of a fight at Salem over the postoffice. It won't go round far enough.

The new M. E. church at Buena Vista was dedicated Sunday, Jan. 31, the services being conducted by Rev. I. D. Driver.

The Governor has appointed Duncan Campbell, Esq., of the districts of Buteshire and the Clyde, Scotland, and A. J. Buckingham, Esq., of Concordia, Cloud county, Kansas, honorary commissioners of immigration for the State of Oregon.

Virgil Newsom, of Marion county, who has been insane at times for the past twelve years and has been in the asylum a portion of that time, was again attacked by the malady at Salem a few days ago, and will probably have to be confined in the asylum again.

The Record says: Col. J. H. Cann, clerk of the board of school land commissioners, has made out the following deeds: To the heirs at law of Wendelin Nus, 160 acres of State land, $320 in currency, Jackson county; Geo. Brock, 160 acres of State land, $320 in currency, Jackson county; G. W. Colby, 160 acres of school land, $200, Jackson county; H. H. Small, 160 acres, school land, $200, Jackson county.

The Record says: K. C. Kinney's health lately shows no sign of improvement. The wounded limb renders him helpless, so that he has to be lifted from one position to another, and confinement wears upon both mind and body, to the alarm of his family and friends. It will be remembered that Mr. Kinney was injured in Portland some time since in getting out of a hack while the team was running away.

The Louisville Courier-Journal is responsible for this: The custom house at Omaha is one of Mullett's pet performances. It is built of stone obtained in Ohio from a quarry owned by Mullett's father, while there is an inexhaustible quantity of excellent limestone for building purposes all about Omaha. Jobbery somewhere about this structure. It cost half a million.

COOMBS THE KLEPTOMANIAC

[From the Pittsburg Leader.]

WASHINGTON, January 31, 1874.—The case of the suicide of the Rev. J. M. Coombs, the clerical kleptomaniac, has been one of the all absorbing topics in religious circles this week. It has formed a subject for several sermons, in all of which the clergy stood up bravely for their erring brother. It seems that this case was one of real mania. The clergyman in question, Coombs, was a man without family, and $70,000 in property. He had charge of one of the popular churches in this city. Surely his was a case that one would imagine that nothing but a mania could be admitted in justification of his stealing. It appears since the death of Coombs that his stealing propensities have long been known among his parishioners. He has great love of books. When he came across a new and especially desirable book he could not keep his hands off from it. He stole right and left among his parishioners. He could hardly ever get out to make a pastoral call without committing a theft. He was well known among all the leading booksellers, who had issued standing orders to the clerks not to molest him. He was only watched closely and bills sent for the books that he pocketed. These bills were always paid or the books returned. He used to actually buy a good many books, but he hardly ever made a purchase that he did not steal one or more books to take along with his purchases. His mania was apparently incurable. In everything else so far as was known, he was what a Christian minister should be.

A week ago yesterday he went into a new book store kept by a young man by the name of Beall. Beall did not know Coombs, and discovering that he had stolen one of his books can hardly be blamed with following the clergyman to the sidewalk and demanding the property back. Coombs said that he was a clergyman and begged that he should not be exposed. Beall only insisted upon him identifying himself, and when this was done Beall allowed Coombs to go. This was charitable to say the least. A reporter of the Sunday Herald was a witness to the affair and wrote up the item, suppressing names. This was proper enough. The incident occurred upon one of the most public thoroughfares of the city, and was just as much the legitimate property of a newspaper as if it had been the case of a common laborer driven crazy by hunger, had broken through a baker's window and stolen a loaf of bread. Now the church people are denouncing the bookseller and the editor of the Herald as the murderers of poor Coombs. His committing suicide the Sunday morning after it is said was caused by the publication of his theft. Well this can be but regarded as an incident of his insanity, and how any one can be blamed in this matter it is hard to see. I look at the postal card addressed to the editor of the Herald from a member of Coombs' church. The sweet spirit of Christian charity breathed throughout the lines of this card is touching:

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 28th, 1874.

SIR: You and your infamous paper should be consigned to the lowest depths of hell for publishing the slanderous article on last Sabbath which caused the death of a valuable citizen and true Christian, besides causing keen sorrow to his host of friends. Hell is open to all such, and will be their portion. Are you a father, husband or son? Reflect on what you have done. You have sent one human being into eternity!

VERITAS!

JUST READ THIS

Have you a box of Malaga raisins in your store? Will you oblige us the first leisure minute you have by weighing it gross, then turning the raisins out, weighing the empty box, and the net contents, noting the brand, and reporting to us the result. Or if you do not choose to take the trouble to report to us do it for your own satisfaction and information. Please look at the list of weights which we publish on page 5. You have just passed through your holiday trade. You have retailed a good many raisins. You think you have made money on them, do you? Maybe you have, if you placed your retail price high enough. Well, let's see. You say it was 20c per pound. You paid $3 for a box of first class layer raisins. You freighted or carted it home, and have that and your wrapping paper and twine, the labor of weighing out and its proportion of all your expenses to add to it, making say $3 20 a box. You said I've certainly 20 pounds of raisins in this box, that's a very moderate calculation, and if I retail at 20c a pound I get $4, and that leaves me a profit of 80c. Very good, but suppose when you weighed out that box, allowing the usual percentage of loss by reweighing in one pound and half pound packages, you found there was but 16 pounds, as is now very frequently the case, where are your profits? Sixteen pounds at 20c a pound is $3 20—just exactly your net cost. Are you doing business for fun or to make money—which? If for fun, all right; go on and amuse yourself that way if you please, but if to make money, and you've got no business being a merchant if you don't want to make money, then you had better take our advice and weigh your layer raisins and fix your retail price accordingly. We further advise you to change your trade from Malaga raisins to Valencia raisins, which latter are sold by the pound until the rascally Spanish farmers and the accommodating Malaga merchants and the deaf American importers are made to sell their goods by weight or to guarantee the number of pounds in a box.—American Grocer.

THERE'S NAE PLACE LIKE HAME.—Some thirty years ago an English tourist was standing on the Castle Rock, with a lank, keen visaged Scotsman as a guide. "Now, my good friend," said the Southerner, "you have talked enough about your native town. Pray forget Paisley for a moment and let us look at Edinburgh."

"It's no that easy to forget Paisley when ye look at Edinburgh," replied the offended cicerone. "Div ye see yon?" and he pointed to the University buildings, "that's the College where they come frae England an' a' parts o' the world to learn to be doctors an' chancellors, an' members o' parliament, an' it has the cleverest men in the kingdom for its professors, but far the cleverest o' them a' is John Wilson, an' he's a Paisley man. An' div ye see yon?" pointing to a distant spire, "yon's the steeple o' North Leith. It's the best stipend in a' Scotland, an' at present it's allowed to hae the best preacher in Scotland for its minister. Ye may hae heard o' the Rev. James Buchanan, but ye maybe dinna ken he's a Paisley man. An' div ye see yon kirk wi' the doom on't? That's St. George's, where a' the gentry attend for the sake o' the singing, an' I'll warrant ye may hear the like o' the precentor in England. They ca' him R. A. Smith, an' he's a Paisley man. An' div ye see yon big buildin' yonder wi' the coaches aye stan'in' waitin' to start? That's the Register Office. Ye may say it's the key stane of the kingdom, for lairds in lands a' hang by it; but though it's the place where dukes and earls keep their titles, an' the king himsel' keeps his papers, every day when the clerks gang hame in the door is steekit, the whole place is left in charge o' yae auld wife, an' she's a Paisley woman. Ye say forget Paisley when ye look at Edinburgh, but ye see weel it's no' possible."

The exportation of lumber from Puget Sound during 1874 can be safely estimated at 175,000,000. Of this immense amount San Francisco alone received about 125,000,000 feet, and the remaining 50,000,000 feet went to foreign countries. This is exclusive of shingles, laths, ship knees, spars, railroad ties, etc., of which it is almost impossible to approximate or estimate. The cut and export of lumber in 1874 was greater than in any previous year.

A SNOW SLIDE

A Utah Village Overwhelmed by an Avalanche.

A SCENE WHICH MOISTENED THE EYES OF STURDY MINERS, AND SENT SYMPATHETIC TEARS TRICKLING DOWN SUNBROWNED CHEEKS.

[From the Salt Lake Herald, Jan. 21.]

On Tuesday the King of Night had just spread his sable mantle over the thriving little mining town of Alta, at the head of Little Cottonwood canyon, when the dread cry of "help, snow slide," in the distressing tones of a woman, was sounded from an elevated part of the burg. Simultaneously was heard a sharp rumbling as of quick and near thunder, and then followed deafening roars, the crashing and snapping of timbers, and the general rushing and crushing of mighty matter. Scarcely had the echo of the female voice ceased to reverberate through the canyon gorges before the whole town had turned out. Trembling women were running hither and thither, all searching for a place of safety, but no one knowing where to go to get away from the dread destroyer.

A SNOW SLIDE HAD DESCENDED

On the camp, and though the bulk of the avalanche had rested on the upper part of the town in their wild flight the unhappy denizens of the place half expected that at the next moment they would be buried and crushed in a bank of treacherous snow.

After the first shock was over, which lasted but a few minutes, the people were hurrying to the scene full of hopeful activity—some carrying lanterns, others shovels and others with staffs, poles or anything that could be used in digging through the snow. About fifteen rods from the business center of the town

A WILD SCENE OF CHAOS

Presented itself. The snow was piled up to the depth of thirty feet, and projecting from the packed surface were large boulders, heavy mining timbers, and here and there a portion of what had once been a frame dwelling house. Even the bare contemplation of the wreck sent a thrill of horror through the frames of hundreds of spectators, then what must their feelings have been when they realized that from the location of the slide some of their acquaintances—

THEIR FRIENDS, AND PERHAPS RELATIVES—

Were certainly beneath the mighty mass of snow and debris? In less time than it would require to relate it, scores of hardy miners were actively at work digging away the snow from where had stood houses occupied by human beings. While thus engaged a faint cry of help came through the snow; again it was heard, and again, but growing more faint and weaker at each successive cry. It did not take long to ascertain the direction from which the voice proceeded, and when once the men on the surface had found the location there was lively shoveling of the snow for a few minutes. Short as those minutes were each must have been an age to him who was under the snow and whose sands of life were so near run out, but the quick stroke of the shovels grew more distinct to the ears of the almost doomed man, and finally he was lifted

FROM HIS SNOWY BED,

And the light of a dozen or more lanterns shone full in his face. The fortunate unfortunate man was George Tomlins, an old gentleman who had made Alta his home for several years. By his side in the bed on which he had been lying was the body of Michael Kelly—"Old Mickey"—who was known to every resident of Alta and vicinity. The snow had done its work for "Old Mickey." He and Tomlins had retired early, but were not asleep when the avalanche came. Before they knew what was the matter, or had they known, before they could even have got out of bed, the building was crushed and the two men buried under at least six feet of snow. "Mickey's" back was broken, and it is thought he died instantly, but Tomlins was more fortunate. True to his former self, after being resurrected, the old man called for a "whisky straight," and in quick succession poured down several "drinks" of his favorite beverage. He had been "very dry" during the day, and this slide was a Godsend to him.

AS THE WHISKY RAN FREELY

And long before the excitement had ceased, the old man was on a jolly spree.

While Tomlins and his mate were being uncovered there was a busy scene at another part of the wreck. The residence of Mr. Jas. Carey was in the course of the slide, and had been either carried away or crushed. Above the site of the location the men commenced working with their shovels, and soon succeeded in finding what had been the interior of the frame house, though the building was broken to pieces and some of it carried away. A little more shoveling discovered a heart-rending sight, and one which caused many of the stern, hardy miners to shed tears. Many an eye which had not been moistened by a sympathetic tear for years now swam in briny drops, and noble sons of toil who could scarcely remember the time when they had wept now cried bitterly. Seated in an easy chair, and clasping to her breast her infant babe, sat Mrs. Carey—

MOTHER AND CHILD BOTH DEAD.

Near them was the lifeless remains of the husband and father, and in another part of the room was the corpse of an adopted daughter, a bright little girl about six years old, named Laura Wilson. None of the bodies exhibited bruises of any kind, hence they had all suffocated. The expression of the mother's countenance was one of mingled anxiety and despair, as if she had hoped that her dear ones might yet be saved, but had finally died, realizing that all must perish. The snow around the husband's body showed that he had struggled hard to extricate himself.

In another place the dead body of an old miner named Vanderlein was found.

Up to last evening no other bodies had been discovered, though a number of men are missing, and it is believed they are under the snow. It is impossible to tell how many were killed, or what is the extent of damage to property, and it will probably be late next spring, when the snow melts, before the facts are known.

There were apparently two slides, each of immense proportions, which started about the same time, and though they headed at different points and did not travel the same route they united immediately above Alta, the whole force and mass

ENTERING AND CRUSHING THROUGH THE TOWN.

One of the avalanches started from near the Mackay mine, above and west of the Emma, and on its course of destruction swept away the extensive trestleworks and the large ore house at the latter mine. The other started from the Stoker mine, near the top of the ridge between the two Cottonwoods, and passed down a gulch east of the track of the first, the junction of the two being at the foot of the mountains on the elevated plateau north of Alta. It is unusual for snow slides to occur in that vicinity, and those of Tuesday are the largest ever known there. Rain had been falling very fast all the afternoon, and the snow had become thoroughly saturated and soggy with water, and the weight being thus increased caused the slide.

The people of Alta, though not expecting one of those catastrophes, were fearful that one would occur. Nearly all night on Tuesday the most terrible fears rested on the more timid of the town. The ladies there

COULD NOT BE INDUCED TO SLEEP.

Anywhere in the vicinity of the slide, and all the fair sex were furnished beds in the lower and better protected part of the burg.

Yesterday morning there was considerable of an exodus from Alta, sixteen men from that place coming to this city, and we understand between twenty and thirty others will leave there to-day. One more avalanche would have the effect of almost depopulating the town. The snow was falling very fast yesterday, and snow slides were expected at any time.

On Wednesday Justice Mills held an inquest on the bodies of the victims above named, and last evening brought five of them to this city for interment in the city cemetery. The remains of the child Laura Wilson will be sent to Virginia City, Nevada, for burial. The little girl's mother is a resident of Alta.

THE TERRITORIES

Charles Brown was murdered by Indians near Smoky Hill, Col., last month.

The county jail at Helena is the best looking public building in Montana Territory.

The First National Bank of Bozeman declared a dividend of ten per cent on the capital stock Jan. 2d, 1875.

The Renton coal mines at Seattle and transportation are again in full operation, crowding matter to a full capacity.

A new steamer is to be built at Seattle by Messrs. Diggs and True for the river trade; it is to be commenced next week.

The Seattle Coal Company resume business to-day, January 28th, having been interrupted by the cold and ice on Lake Union.

The vessels W. H. Meyer, J. B. Bell, Harvest Home, Gem of the Ocean and Jenny Pitts all came into Seattle on the morning of the 22d ult.

Nine head of beef cattle, being shipped on board the steamer Olympia on Wednesday night last week, were precipitated into the bay by the gang plank slipping off the steamer. All were rescued.

A Montana editor bemoans the calamities of 1874 in the following touching strain: "First, that Beecher business, then the grasshoppers, then the Democratic victories, and now an increased tax on whisky. My goodness, what is this poor country coming to?"

The by-laws and regulations of the Seattle Gold and Silver Mining Company are printed. John Collins, president; James McNaught, secretary, and F. Matthias, treasurer. The above four and J. R. Robbins, T. A. Wright, John Leary and C. B. Shattuck are the trustees.

The present bonded debt of Montana is $104,300, $6,000 of which will be redeemed upon presentation to the Treasurer. In the last month the warrants advertised for payment and paid amount $16,000. The warrants which remain unpaid have been registered since July 30, 1873.

Seven hundred head of sheep, belonging to Dr. Thomas Pollock, feeding on Apache creek, Col., were laid out the other night by a compound of salt and strychnine, sprinkled in a corral by some unknown scoundrel. The sheep all died within two hours after eating the poison.

The Olympia Courier says: "Somebody is bound to get his name in the papers if there is not less carelessness about down Sound mails. Nearly one half of the papers and letters from that region get here by the way of Tenino or Kalama, and are of course, from two to four days behind time."

The Tribune says: "It is stated, and generally believed, that a scandalous elopement took place from Tacoma on Thursday of last week. The offenders were relatives—in law, brother and sister—the one a husband and father, the other a wife and mother. The couple went to Victoria."

The Montana Herald says: "Reports from all sections of the Territory say that more snow lays on the mountain ranges than for several winters past. This is glorious news, for by it our placers are assured of a more bountiful supply of water and a larger yield of gold the coming season than for some years past."

While at Port Townsend, last week, the barkentine Fremont, bound for Tacoma, and the schooner Alice, for Seattle, in a bit of a sea, got foul of each other, somewhat to their own injury. The Fremont had her rail and house broken in the over reaching bow of the Alice, and, in return, inflicted some damage to the schooner.

The people of Whatcom county, W. T., are moving in the matter of opening a wagon road from the settlement to intersect the government road along the Fraser river, British Columbia. The road built by the British authorities is an excellent macadamized one, and opening a route to tap it will be of great benefit to both localities. The distance is about 30 miles, and about 7 is already "slashed." An effort is being made to raise funds to open the road as a public thoroughfare, if not, it may be let as a toll road.

The Tacoma Tribune, of last Saturday, says: "The head winds so long prevailing in the Straits of Fuca had up to last week, when they changed, been the cause of the collection and keeping out to sea of a larger fleet of deep water vessels than were ever together at one time at any place on the Pacific coast north of San Francisco. There were no less than sixty sail of merchantmen in that fleet, all bound in for lumber and coal ports of Puget Sound and British Columbia, and all (except the unfortunate Palicano), with the same fair breeze sailed up the straits together."

HUGH SMALL GIBBITS THE RING ORGAN

ALBANY, Monday, Feb. 1, 1875.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

In the Portland Bulletin of Saturday the editor has published a second leading editorial, exceeding a column in length, headed "Poor Old Small in trouble with his double-ended saddle bags." Every statement in that article respecting me is a falsehood from first to last. When an editor can write two long articles utterly false and malicious he has placed himself outside the pale of all respect. He is, therefore, in my estimation no more Mr. Gaston, but the malicious and lying editor of the Portland Bulletin. Any person who could descend to such a base and contemptible course of conduct as to forge such lies as the lying editor of the Bulletin has done respecting me in the editorials of Friday and Saturday establishes his character as vile, and should be avoided by all good members of society.

I suppose the corrupt ring of politicians that he represents gave orders to let the blood hounds loose and hunt Small down, don't scruple at means—the end justifies the means—call him bad names, ridicule him, malign him, insult him, forge all kinds of lies about him, leave nothing undone to crush him. These are samples of the bloodhounds and bull-dogs that this lying editor and corrupt ring have employed against me. What other dogs they may employ time will tell. In the meantime, I will pursue the even tenor of my way, and as calmly and courageously as possible face their various dogs as they attack me. The lying editor draws a moral at the close of his Saturday's article. Let him digest this moral at his leisure: "All liars shall have their part in the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone."

HUGH SMALL.

TERROR TO CUBA.

Spain has grown impatient of the Cuban insurrection and has apparently been willing to resort to extraordinary measures for its repression. We are informed by the cable that Count Valmeseda once more assumes the Captain Generalship of the ever faithful isle. This man was in command of the Spanish forces in Cuba in 1869, when his system of terrorism failed of its anticipated effect. Valmeseda is a man of an imperious, domineering disposition. His administration of Cuban affairs in 1869 was cruel and brutal. It was under his orders, while General in Chief, that every male citizen over fifteen years of age found in the country and away from home was shot unless he could satisfactorily account for his movements. It was Valmeseda who ordered that every house which did not display a white flag should be burned. It was under his administration that eight school boys were shot in Havana and that the whole civilized world were shocked by his acts of cruelty. In August 1872 it was admitted by the Spanish authorities that 43,500 Cuban rebels had been put to death. From first to last during the present war more than 80,000 men have been sent from Spain to put down the rebellion. But the feat is not yet accomplished.—S. F. Chronicle.

CLEVERNESS AND ENERGY.

The following sound maxims are given in a recent address by Lord Derby to the students of Liverpool College:

Do not any of you be disheartened because you think yourselves slow or stupid, even though you may really at present appear to have good ground for the belief, and do not on the other hand, any of you be confident of the future merely because you know or believe yourselves to have what is called cleverness. If I were to tell you that in my belief that particular quality of intellectual quickness and sharpness is by no means the first qualification for a successful career, many people would consider, in these days of competitive examinations, that I was willfully indulging in a paradox. But I believe it is the truth. Talent is the edge of the knife which makes it penetrate [illegible], but whether it penetrates deeply or not depends quite as much on the force applied to it as on the sharpness of the blade. What a man really takes a keen interest in, he is seldom too dull to understand and to do well, and, conversely, when a man does not care to put the best of his brains into a thing, no amount of mere cleverness will enable him to do it well if it is a thing of any real difficulty, or unless it is one which he has trained himself to do easily by much previous practice, in which latter case he is really reaping in the present case, the fruit of [illegible] exertion, living, so to speak, upon the capital which he has accumulated by early industry. The most conspicuous instance of complete efficiency and success in active life recently witnessed is that which was obtained by the military [illegible] of Germany, and I am told by those who ought to be the best judges, that both among Germans themselves and among other foreign critics, that efficiency and success are ascribed, not so much to any extraordinary display of genius or originality of design on the part of some few individuals, as to the generally diffused habit of minute and almost microscopic attention to every detail of duty, however apparently small, which has become a tradition in that service.

"I believe that everywhere the same result will follow from the same cause. But to acquire and keep up in every-day work that habit of concentrated attention on details, two things are necessary—training and energy. The training you can all give yourselves, the energy which is necessary to maintain it is in part, no doubt, a gift of nature. Men possess it, to begin with, in very different degrees, but it may be lost where it naturally exists, and it may be enormously increased where originally it was but feeble. And in that connection it is important to notice how much depends on what students and young men are apt to despise as below their notice. I mean a [illegible] physical [illegible]. Take [illegible] if they could be found, exactly alike in mental and bodily aptitudes, and let the one go on carelessly and idly, indulging his appetites, and generally living a life of what is called pleasure, and let the other train himself by [illegible] habits, and by giving to muscles and brain each their fair share of [illegible], and at the end of two or three [illegible] will be as wide apart in their [illegible] for exertion as if they had been born with wholly different constitutions.

"Without a normal healthy condition there can, as a rule, be no good work, and though that qualification cannot absolutely be secured or preserved by any rules, a little common sense and care will go a long way both in securing and preserving it. On that point I would give you these hints. First, that it is not mental labor which hurts anybody unless the excess be very great, but rather fretting and [illegible] over the prospect of labor to be gone through, so that the man who can accustom himself to take things coolly, which is quite as much a matter of discipline as of nature, and who by keeping well beforehand with what he has to do avoids undue hurry and nervous excitement, has a great advantage over one who follows a different practice.

"Next, I would warn you that those students who think they have no time for bodily exercise will sooner or later have to find time for illness. Thirdly, where an opportunity of choice is given, morning work is generally better than night work, and lastly—a matter which I should not stop to allude to but that I know the dangers of an over-driven existence in a crowded town—if a man [illegible] get through his day's labor, of whatever kind it may be, without artificial support, it should be a serious consideration for him whether that kind of labor is fit for him at all."

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EASTERN NEWS.

[illegible] TO THE OREGONIAN]

[illegible] Payes and Employed

[illegible] Feb 2.—The Granite and Crescent [illegible] yesterday and Merchants to-day on [illegible] action about wages. The weavers resolved that one thousand of their number go back to England—half fare to be advanced each. It is held that this will be much [illegible] than keeping them upon the union. The spinners working will be [illegible] per week each while the difficulty continues. The weavers say they are willing to submit differences to arbitration.

In the Pennsylvania Legislature.

[illegible] York Feb 2.—A Harrisburg dispatch gives [illegible] of a disgraceful scene in the Pennsylvania [illegible] of Representatives yesterday during a [illegible] contest over a petition, in reference [illegible] election case of Republican Wolf [illegible] came in conflict with the Speaker who [illegible] him to be put under arrest when [illegible] members rallied to his defense and [illegible] from the Sergeant at arms.

Quarrel—Brother Kills Brother

[illegible] 2.—At Shelbyville county Ill [illegible] shot his brother Henry [illegible] about family matters. Henry [illegible] a powerful man 6 feet 8 inches tall was up stairs in his father's house with the avowed [illegible] of whipping him when the latter fired at [illegible] the ball entering his [illegible]. The family are wealthy and respected.

[illegible] West Virginia.

[illegible] W. V., Feb 2.—Ballot for U S Senator in joint [illegible] to-day: Walker 20, Camden, [illegible] 12, Price 14, scatter[illegible].

[illegible] York Feb 2.—The steamship Acapulco [illegible] from Aspinwall for New York yesterday. The ship Colorado arrived at Panama from San [illegible] and Mexican ports, and Colima, from San [illegible].

[illegible] Money and Stock Report.

[illegible] York Feb 2.—Gold closed 114¼. Governments active and strong, money 2@2½. Stocks [illegible] Western Union 78⅞, Quicksilver [illegible], Wells Fargo 83½, Pacific Mail 37⅞, New York [illegible] Erie 29¼, [illegible] 111¼, Union Pacific [illegible] Bonds 94, Central Pacific Bonds 93.

Money Movements.

New York Feb 2.—Specie engagements for Europe to-morrow $600 000 gold coin. To-day's shipment to Havana $210 000.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Reducing Salaries

Washington Feb 2.—A bill reported favorably [illegible] Senate committee on civil service to-day [illegible] that for two years after the 1st of July next [illegible] salaries exceeding $1,200 a year in all branches [illegible] Government service civil and military shall [illegible] reduced 10 per cent.

CONGRESSIONAL

[illegible] Feb 2.—The House met at 10 A. M. [illegible] continuation of Monday's session when after [illegible] preliminary skirmishing, Butler of Massachusetts moved to suspend the rules so as to give [illegible] the committee on rules the privilege of reporting [illegible]. Rejected. Yeas 157, nays 90—less [illegible] thirds affirmative. [illegible] considerable filibustering the majority [illegible] by one vote in suspending the [illegible] the committee on rules reported through [illegible] a rule to prevent filibustering and dis[illegible].

[illegible] Mr. Cameron presented the credentials [illegible] A. Wallace, Senator from Pennsylvania.

[illegible] a petition of Jas. Brooks, [illegible] the legal governor of Arkansas, and [illegible] the office now withheld from him by [illegible] be restored by action of Congress. [illegible] Ordered printed and referred. [illegible] a resolution instructing [illegible] committee to inquire into existing [illegible] the District of Columbia if any to [illegible] ments in the district, [illegible] legislation, to report a bill to confer [illegible] Adopted.

[illegible] that Sargent, who was to address [illegible] on Louisiana matters to-day had [illegible] to-day [illegible] committee on Indian [illegible] 12 to 2 P. M. for discussion of bills [illegible] from that committee.

[illegible] 12.—In the Senate Windom [illegible] on transportation submitted a [illegible] resolution [illegible] on by the committee recommending appropriations for [illegible] of certain water routes.

[illegible] Ingalls called up the bill to [illegible] nation of Indians in New York [illegible] within Cattaraugus and Allegheny [illegible] and to confirm existing leases. A [illegible] opposed McCreery and Hamilton of [illegible] the bill as part of a scheme to [illegible] Indians out of lands they had held [illegible] years and the title to [illegible] not now and never was in the United [illegible] presented a petition of the Indians [illegible] the proposed bill and McCreery [illegible] all is, but Ingalls defended the [illegible]. It finally passed 26 to 17. After an executive [illegible] the Senate adjourned.

[illegible] House resumed the session at 10 A. M. [illegible] of Massachusetts moved to suspend the [illegible] so as to give the committee on rules leave to [illegible] or amendments to the rules providing that during the consideration of such report [illegible] motion shall be entertained by the [illegible] rose to a point of order.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

[illegible] of England Statement.

[illegible] Feb 2.—The bullion withdrawn from [illegible] of England to-day amounted to £618 000.

An Ecclesiastical Candidate.

[illegible], Feb 2.—Ultramontanes resolved to make [illegible] Paderborn a candidate for Parliament from [illegible].

[illegible] of an Empress. A Child Emperor.

London Feb 2.—The *Pall Mall Gazette* says a private telegram from China confirms the reported [illegible] of the Emperor and says the Empress, over[illegible] with grief suicided and a son of the seventh [illegible] three years old, is proclaimed Emperor and [illegible].

[illegible]

[illegible] drama has declined is the deterioration [illegible] mental, moral, or physical? [illegible] Assuredly not. Perhaps, the [illegible] and massive theaters of the old Greeks, intended at certain festivals to [illegible] the whole free male population of the [illegible] the colossal Latin amphitheaters [illegible] merely to show the sports of the [illegible], more noble than are the temples [illegible] in our day, but it [illegible] just to compare with either Athenian theater or Roman amphitheater the [illegible] house, constructed within and [illegible] with due regard for the comfort of a [illegible] people, enjoying life, liberty and the [illegible] of happiness. It may even be doubted [illegible] any ancient theater or amphitheater [illegible] in cost or beauty the opera [illegible] of Vienna and Paris. Science and art [illegible] been added to the aid of the drama. In scenery, costumes, and properties, in the [illegible], in the mounting, and in general [illegible] the stage has taken a step for[illegible]. Certainly our scenery is better than in Shakespeare's day: we need no longer hang a placard announcing that this is a wood. [illegible] painting on the stage is often artistic [illegible] with the aid of science effects are produced which Talma and Garrick would have [illegible] marvelous. No expense is spared [illegible] money spent by Mr Booth or Mr Daly on [illegible] Shakespearian revivals probably exceeded the total cost of the original productions of all Shakespeare's plays. In archeological accuracy and propriety of costume the [illegible] surpassed the original. We all [illegible] Betterton dressed Hamlet and the [illegible] people played all Racine's ancient heroes in the full blown court dress of Louis [illegible]. [illegible] of correcting the costume architecture and accessories of the English stage, [illegible] by John Kemble, has been completed [illegible] labors of the still living J. R. [illegible]. Those who have seen the recent [illegible] revivals in New York know to [illegible] completeness it has been carried [illegible]. But no one at all familiar with [illegible] stage of to-day denies its physical progress. [illegible] that advance is even made a reproach. [illegible] hinted that the mental is subordinated [illegible] play, that the mind is starved while [illegible] is feasted: that a play to be successful [illegible] contain real pumps and real water [illegible] ation is often just, but it is nothing [illegible].

[illegible] It cannot be seriously urged that [illegible] has morally deteriorated. On the [illegible], it has improved in honesty and in [illegible].—*The Galaxy for February*.

[illegible] county which pays $5[illegible]3 80 State [illegible] year, has settled $600 of it. Marion [illegible] about paid up. Multnomah still [illegible] $27,000, having paid $40 000.

THE TILTON-BEECHER CASE.

Tilton's Testimony Continued.

[BY TELEGRAPH]

NEW YORK Feb 2.—In the Beecher case this forenoon Tilton resumed his testimony and related an interview with Beecher at witness' house in the second week in February when witness asked him with reference to the little boy Ralph telling him Elizabeth gave the date of the beginning of their criminal intercourse as the 10th of October 1868 and asking him if she was correct. Beecher replied he could not remember but thought she was right. Some expressions of grief and misery fell from him and that was the end of the interview, which lasted 10 or 15 minutes. Witness then related an interview with Beecher and Moulton at the latter's house after the publication of Mrs. Woodhull's card. Witness told Beecher of Woodhull's coming to his office with the card and stating its contents and also told him of his (Moulton's) interview with Woodhull at her house and said after leaving the house Moulton said he thought the woman was not in her right mind and it was from that time Moulton, Beecher and witness were in consultation to stop the circulation of her stories. Beecher was greatly agitated over the matter but Moulton told him there was no cause for alarm as they could easily keep her quiet. A policy of conciliation was decided on and in pursuance of that order they received [illegible] her to Mrs. Tilton and Mrs. [illegible] [illegible] would not become acquainted with her. In further pursuance of this arrangement witness published an article in the *Golden Age* about the enfranchisement of women in which he alluded to Woodhull, also wrote a tract claiming the right of suffrage for women on the ground that they were citizens of the United States. Subsequently she brought witness a biographical sketch of herself written by her husband, and asked him to revise it which he did and afterwards published it.

Witness then told of his presiding at Woodhull's meeting in Cooper Institute when she lectured on finance, and of subsequently introducing her at the Steinway Hall meeting. Witness added it was on account of the publication of the pamphlet "Tit for Tat" that "I relinquished Mrs. Woodhull and I say here that Henry Ward Beecher is responsible for my intimacy with Mrs Woodhull." Witness was under a promise to go to Steinway Hall on the evening in question and had contemplated going. The "Tit for Tat" article was brought to witness by some person—he thought a lady from California. [illegible] then related interview with Beecher in which the latter endeavored to persuade him to ask the latter's dismissal from Plymouth Church which witness declined on the ground that there was no reason for it.

Witness next related an interview with Beecher on the cars when Beecher said there was no peace any more on earth for him. He saw nothing but trouble for himself. Witness told him that if he met the matter boldly there could be any [illegible] to his work not to be downcast and to relieve his mind of all apprehension.

Witness then related the circumstances of his settlement with Bowen and the signing of the tripartite agreement bringing out nothing new. He also related consultations between himself, Moulton and Beecher in regard to the policy to be pursued in regard to Woodhull's publication of the scandal. Witness wanted Beecher to deny the story and said he wouldn't contradict the denial. "I told him I was angry that he put on me the responsibility of meeting the Woodhull story and all the odium was left on my shoulders." Court here took a recess.

NEW YORK Feb 2.—After recess, Tilton resumed relating the circumstances of the interview at Moulton's house between him, Moulton, Woodruff and Tracy. Evarts objected and the court told him he could take exception. Tilton then related the interview giving without great difference, the story before testified to by Moulton and Woodruff in alluding the [illegible] by Tracy not to act in any way as Beecher's counsel if Beecher and Tilton came in collision. His expressed regard contradiction and declaration that in this case lying was justified and his telling witness that the publication of facts would not only ruin Tilton's wife and Beecher but witness also as the world would never forgive him for revealing his wife's crime. Witness next told of an interview with Beecher when the latter told of Mrs. Hooker's threat to mount his pulpit and read his confession of connection with Mrs Tilton. Witness promised to see Mrs Hooker and did see her at the house of a lady friend of hers in New York whose name is a matter of delicacy and he didn't deem it necessary to mention. The court said it was not necessary and a lively dispute ensued between Evarts and Fullerton as to the ground on which the name should be withheld though both said they didn't want it. Mr Tilton said he induced Mrs. Hooker to relinquish her design and Beecher expressed gratitude therefor. At a subsequent interview at Moulton's, Beecher declared that he could no longer act on a policy of silence in regard to the Woodhull scandal, that the public would believe where there was so much smoke there must be some fire and suggested that some leading paper publish an editorial to the effect that the Woodhull story grew out of Bowen's stories which he had since denied. Tilton objected to this as Bowen had signed the tripartite agreement only at the solicitation of Claflin and often said since a coach and four could be driven through the agreement and if Bowen was driven to the wall he would fight and if he had evidence he would be a dangerous antagonist. Beecher said he thought Bowen had no proofs. Tilton then told of his interview with Dr Storrs and Beecher's regret thereat. Subsequently witness told Beecher that Mrs Tilton urged the policy of complete denial of the matter, and that he told her she could do what she chose on her own responsibility and she wrote a card for publication which he showed to Beecher with a statement that Mrs. Tilton wished him (Beecher) also to write a card denying the charges. Beecher said it would be useless unless witness promised not to make the denial of no effect. Witness told him he had nothing to fear unless he was an aggressor in which case he (witness) would defend himself at all hazards. Beecher then sat down and wrote a note of which witness had a photographic copy. Fullerton called on counsel for the defense to produce the original in Beecher's hand writing. Shearman first said he did not know what paper was meant but finally produced it. Fullerton read it as follows:

BROOKLYN Dec 29 1872.—I solemnly deny that scandalous charge made against me and Mrs Tilton and I deny that there has been any criminal relations between us or any color or reason for the charge. My acquaintance with Mrs Tilton has ever been that of the greatest respect. I here desire to state in addition that Mr Tilton during the whole of this shameful scandal has invariably spoken in the highest terms of his wife and has shown to me the highest proof of friendship.

H W BEECHER.

Mr Beecher submitted the card to witness who thought it would be satisfactory and Carpenter who was present went at witness' request, and brought Mrs. Tilton who expressed herself satisfied with the card. Nothing come of the card.

A SAD STORY

EIGHT CHILDREN DIE OF DIPTHERIA IN TEN DAYS

The family of E. B. Murray have been the greatest sufferers we ever knew. In ten days commencing with Dec. 20 eight children from three to seventeen years of age died with diptheria. Two of them were taken to North Granville, Dec 31 and buried. Four of them were subsequently placed temporarily in the receiving vault at Boardman's cemetery as it was necessary to get them out of the house where the others were suffering. Two more died last week, one on Wednesday heretofore chronicled in this paper and the last, Emma, aged 15, following her brothers and sisters on Friday last. The scene in the afflicted household was one long to be remembered by those who witnessed the terrible agony of the dying. The poor father of the bright children who had lost his wife and another child last July, was too full of grief for even utterance. One by one he watched his loved ones snatched away from before his eyes. One by one the cold forms of his idols were laid in their coffins. He witnessed the terrible writhings and gasping for breath of his dying children yet he was powerless to give them aid. It was awful to behold his mental anguish. Only a few days ago his eight children were laughing and joyous and now by the hand of death each one that had been a comfort to the lonely parent was also called to join their mother. Most of the children seemed to realize that they must die and spoke of being with their mother in heaven. The last one, Emma, expressed a wish to live that she might be a comfort to her poor father but the hand of Providence willed otherwise and she has joined the circle in the other world. On Sunday forenoon two double sleighs bore away to North Granville six coffins containing the remains of the deceased. It was a [illegible] and [illegible] never shall we forget the scene. Prayers were held at the house before leaving here. When the remains arrived at North Granville the Methodist congregation who had been just dismissed from morning service repaired to the cemetery, where the services at the graves were performed by Rev. Mr Craig of North Granville. The Methodist church was then opened when the mourners and delegations entered to warm. After the return of the agonized father and relatives from North Granville, a funeral sermon was preached by Rev Mr Haynes at the Presbyterian church. We hope we shall never again be called upon to chronicle such an event as the death of eight members of one family in ten short days.—*Whitehall (N. Y.) Times* Jan 13

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA

From San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO Feb 2.—John Boyce, drayman in the employ of the car contractor, has been missing since Sunday afternoon. It is feared he is drowned. On leaving home he was under the influence of liquor and told his wife he would return in a few moments. Yesterday a man reported at the harbor police station that a man answering Boyce's description was drowned from Broadway wharf on the same morning at 5:30 o'clock by walking overboard in the dark. The informant almost drowned himself in the endeavor to save the unfortunate man. It is believed the drowned man was Mr Boyce although the body has not yet been recovered. There have occurred several cases of this kind in that locality in consequence of the neglect of the lamp lighter to ignite the gaslight on the wharf.

SAN FRANCISCO Feb 2.—At 11 o'clock the King and suite and the United States Minister at Hawaii, Mr. Pierce, were escorted to carriages by Consul Severance and whirled to the Pacific Mail Co's steamer *McPherson* which received the party and carried them to the steam frigate. His Majesty was received with appropriate honors, the yards being manned and a royal salute fired. The *Pensacola* was beautifully dressed in honor of the occasion. A line of colors extended from the water to the jibboom and thence to the foremast head, main mizzen, spanker boom and to the water aft. The Hawaiian flag floated from the mainmast head.

In consequence of an accident on board it is possible the *Pensacola* may not leave to-night. While hoisting on board the stern launch preparatory to getting under way one of the tackles by which the launch was suspended gave way, allowing the boat to strike heavily against the steamer's smokestack, breaking it partly off close to the deck. At 2:30 P. M. men were busily engaged putting chains around it to which to attach stays to hold it in place. As it is low water on the bar at 5 o'clock and nearly dark the probabilities are the ship will not leave port till morning. Among the passengers is Col. A. B. Steinberger, Commissioner of the United States to the Samoan Islands whose previous visits to the islands in behalf of the the Government was mentioned about a year ago. The United States informally established close relations with the islands on the occasion of Col. Steinberger's previous visits. This time the islands will probably be taken under the protection of the Government.

Interior California

BANTAS Feb 2.—On Saturday F. B. Campbell sent one of our citizens, James Giblan, a challenge to fight a duel which was accepted but before the appointed time the parties were arrested. A partial examination was had before Judge Hay. To-day great indignation is expressed by all law abiding citizens in this vicinity and prosecution fully expected. The examination was continued until to-morrow morning.

ESPARTERO

An exchange has the following biographical sketch of Gen. Espartero, the Spanish statesman who died in December last:

Don Baldomero Espartero, Duke de la Victoria, marshal and at one time regent of Spain, was born in 1792 at Granatula in La Mancha. The youngest of the nine children of a cartwright he was intended on account of his feeble constitution, for the priesthood but in 1808 when the French invaded Spain, he enrolled himself as a volunteer in the body of students called the Sacred Battalion and was placed at a military school until his twenty third year, when he entered upon active service as sub lieutenant. Upon the expulsion of Napoleon from Spain his restless spirit led him to join Gen. Morillo in the South American colonies. He returned to Spain and in 1833 when Ferdinand VII died, took a decided part in favor of his daughter Isabella II, opposed Zumalacarregui and sustained many defeats but the tide of victory at length turned and in 1841 Espartero became regent of Spain and governed the country with a fair share of success, although continually thwarted by intrigue. When Gen. Narvaez entered Madrid in 1843 Gen. Espartero, compelled to retire, sought the protection of a British man of war and sailed to England. Having remained for some time in London, he was invited to return to Spain where he resided as a private citizen until June 1854. In July, Queen Isabella, much against her will, having sent for Gen. Espartero, and commissioned him to resume the direction of affairs he entered the capital and, in conjunction with Gen. O'Donnell, his former rival, formed a ministry July 19 but his government encountered great difficulties in the corruption of the court and of the administrative departments, in the hostility of the clergy, the restlessness of the Carlists, and the fickleness and insubordination of its own professed supporters. At length, in the summer of 1856, matters came to a crisis. It was impossible that two such men as Espartero and O'Donnell could work together in harmony for any length of time. Gen. Espartero was dismissed and insurrections broke out in Madrid, Barcelona and Saragossa, but he took no part in the quarrels made in his name and again lost one of the most brilliant positions that fortune or military prestige could offer. In 1857 he resigned his dignity as senator and since that time has rarely appeared in connection with Spanish politics. After the revolution of 1868 which ended in the expulsion of Queen Isabella, Gen. Espartero gave his hearty adhesion to the provisional government, although he took no active part in the events of that period. In May 1870, during the debates on the policy of re-establishing the monarchial form of government, a deputy, Senor Garido, suggested that Espartero should be chosen King of Spain, but the proposal was not favorably received in the cortes.

OREGON

There seems to be a good deal of a fight at Salem over the postoffice. It won't go round far enough.

The new M. E. church at Buena Vista was dedicated Sunday, Jan 31, the services being conducted by Rev. I. D. Driver.

The Governor has appointed Duncan Campbell, Esq., of the districts of Butteshire and the Clyde, Scotland, and A. L. Buckingham, Esq., of Concordia, Cloud county, Kansas, honorary commissioners of immigration for the State of Oregon.

Virgil Newsom of Marion county, who has been insane at times for the past twelve years and has been in the asylum a portion of that time, was again attacked by the malady at Salem a few days ago and will probably have to be confined in the asylum again.

The *Record* says: Col. T. H. Cann, clerk of the board of school land commissioners, has made out the following deeds: To the heirs at law of Wendelin Nus, 160 acres of State land, $320 in currency, Jackson county; Geo. Frock, 160 acres of State land, $320 in currency, Jackson county; G. W. Colby, 160 acres of school land, $300, Jackson county; H. I. Smith, 160 acres school land, $300, Jackson county.

The *Record* says: R. C. Kinney's health lately shows no sign of improvement. The wounded limb renders him helpless so that he has to be lifted from one position to another and confinement wears upon both mind and body to the alarm of his family and friends. It will be remembered that Mr Kinney was injured in Portland some time since in getting out of a buck while the team was running away.

The Louisville *Courier-Journal* is responsible for this: The custom house at Omaha is one of Mullett's pet performances. It is built of stone obtained in Ohio from a quarry owned by Mullett's father, while there is an inexhaustible quantity of excellent limestone for building purposes all about Omaha. Jobbery somewhere about this structure. It cost half a million.

COOMBS, THE KLEPTOMANIAC

[From the [illegible] Leader]

WASHINGTON, January [illegible] 1875.—The case of the suicide of the Rev. J. M. Coombs, the clerical kleptomaniac, has been one of the all absorbing topics in religious circles this week. It has formed subjects for several sermons in all of which the clergy stood up bravely for their erring brother. It seems that this case was one of real mania. The clergyman in question, Coombs, was a man without family, and $6 000 in property. He had charge of one of the popular churches in this city. Surely his was a case that one would imagine that nothing but a mania could be admitted in justification of his stealing. It appears since the death of Coombs that his stealing propensities have long been known among his parishioners. He has great love of books. When he came across a new and especially desirable book he could not keep his hands off from it. He stole right and left among his parishioners. He could hardly ever get out to make a pastoral call without committing a theft. He was well known among all the leading booksellers who had issued standing orders to the clerks not to molest him. He was only watched closely, and bills sent for the books that he pocketed. These bills were always paid or the books returned. He used to actually buy a good many books, but he hardly ever made a purchase that he did not steal one or more books to take along with his purchases. His mania was apparently incurable. In everything else, so far as was known, he was what a Christian minister should be.

A week ago yesterday he went into a new bookstore kept by a young man by the name of Beall. Beall did not know Coombs, and discovering that he had stolen one of his books, can hardly be blamed with following the clergyman to the sidewalk and demanding the property back. Coombs said that he was a clergyman, and begged that he should not be exposed. Beall only insisted upon him identifying himself and when this was done Beall allowed Coombs to go. This was charitable to say the least. A reporter of the *Sunday Herald* was a witness to the affair and wrote up the item suppressing names. This was proper enough. The incident occurred upon one of the most public thoroughfares of the city and was just as much the legitimate property of a newspaper as if it had been the case of a common laborer driven crazy by hunger, had broken through a baker's window and stolen a loaf of bread. Now the church people are denouncing the bookseller and the editor of the *Herald* as the murderers of poor Coombs. His committing suicide the Sunday morning after, it is said, was caused by the publication of his theft. Well this can be but regarded as an incident of his insanity and how any one can be blamed in this matter it is hard to see. Look at the postal card addressed to the editor of the *Herald*, from a member of Coombs church. The sweet spirit of Christian charity breathed throughout the lines of this card is touching:

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 28th, 1874.

SIR: You and your infamous paper should be consigned to the lowest depths of hell for publishing the slanderous article on last Sabbath which caused the death of a valuable citizen and true Christian, besides causing keen sorrow to his host of friends. Hell is open to all such and will be their portion. Are you a father, husband or son? Reflect on what you have done. You have sent one human being into eternity.

VERITAS.

JUST READ THIS

Have you a box of Malaga raisins in your store? Will you oblige us the first leisure minute you have by weighing it gross, then turning the raisins out, weighing the empty box and the net contents, noting the brand and reporting to us the result. Or if you do not choose to take the trouble to report to us do it for your own satisfaction and information. Please look at the list of weights which we publish on page 5. You have just passed through your holiday trade. You have retailed a good many raisins. You think you have made money on them, do you? Maybe you have if you placed your retail price high enough. Well let's see. You say it was 20c per pound. You paid $3 for a box of first class layer raisins. You freighted or carted it home and have that and your wrapping paper and twine, the labor of weighing out and its proportion of all your expenses to add to it, making say $3 50 a box. You said: "I've certainly 20 pounds of raisins in this box, that's a very moderate calculation, and if I retail at 20c a pound I get $4, and that leaves me a profit of 50c." Very good, but suppose when you weighed out that box allowing the usual percentage of loss by reweighing in one pound and half pound packages you found there was but 16 pounds, *as is now very frequently the case*, where are your profits? Sixteen pounds at 20c a pound is $3 20, just exactly your net cost. Are you doing business for fun or to make money, which? If for fun, all right, go on and amuse yourself that way if you please, but if to make money and you've got no business being a merchant if you do not want to make money, then you had better take our advice and weigh your layer raisins and fix your retail price accordingly. We further advise you to change your trade from Malaga raisins to Valencia raisins, which latter are sold by the pound, until the rascally Spanish farmers and the accommodating Malaga merchants and the deaf American importers are made to sell their goods by weight or to guarantee the number of pounds in a box.—*American Grocer*.

THERE'S NAE PLACE LIKE HAME.—Some thirty years ago, an English tourist was standing on the Castle Rock with a lank, keen visaged Scotsman as a guide. "Now my good friend," said the Southerner, "you have talked enough about your native town. Pray forget Paisley for a moment and let us look at Edinburgh." "It's no that easy to forget Paisley when ye look at Edinburgh," replied the offended cicerone. "Dae ye see yon?" and he pointed to the University buildings. "That's the College where they come frae England an' a' parts o' the world to learn to be doctors an' chancellors an' members o' parliament an' it has the cleverest men in the kingdoms for its professors, but far the cleverest yen o' them a' 's John Wilson, an' he's a Paisley man. An' dae ye see yon?" pointing to a distant spire, "yon's the steeple o' North Leith. It's the best stipend in a' Scotland, an' at present it's allowed to hae the best preacher in Scotland for its minister. You may hae heard o' the Rev James Buchanan, but ye maybe dinna ken he's a Paisley man. An' dae ye see yon kirk wi' the doom on t? That's St George's, where a' the gentry attend for the sake o' the singing; an' I'se warrant ye no hear the like o' the precentor in England. They ca' him R. A. Smith, an' he's a Paisley man. An' dae ye see yon big buildin' yonder whaur a' thae coaches are stannin' waitin' to start? That's the Register Office. Ye may say it's the keystane of the kingdom, for lands an' lands a' hang by't. But, though it's the place where dukes and earls keep their titles an' the king himsel' keeps his papers, every day when the clerks gang hame, an' the door is steekit, the whole place is left in charge o' yae auld wife, an' she's a Paisley woman. You say forget Paisley when ye look at Edinburgh, but sir ye'll see noo it's no' possible."

The exportation of lumber from Puget Sound during 1874 can be safely estimated at 145 000 000. Of this immense amount San Francisco alone received about 125 000 000 feet and the remaining 20 000 000 feet went to foreign countries. This is exclusive of shingles, laths, ship knees, spars, railroad ties, etc., of which it is almost impossible to approximate or estimate. The cut and export of lumber in 1874, was greater than in any previous year.

A SNOW SLIDE

A Utah Village Overwhelmed by an Avalanche.

A SCENE WHICH MOISTENED THE EYES OF STURDY MINERS AND SENT SYMPATHETIC TEARS TRICKLING DOWN SUNBROWNED CHEEKS

[From the Salt Lake Herald, Jan. 21]

On Tuesday the king of night had just spread his sable mantle over the thriving little mining town of Alta at the head of Little Cottonwood Canyon, when the dread cry of "help! snow-slide!" in the distressing tones of a woman was sounded from an elevated part of the burg. Simultaneously was heard a sharp rumbling as of quick and near thunder and then followed deafening roars, the crashing and snapping of timbers and the general rushing and crushing of mighty matter. Scarcely had the echo of the female voice ceased to reverberate through the canyon gorges before the whole town had turned out. Trembling women were running hither and thither all searching for a place of safety, but no one knowing where to go to get away from the dread destroyer.

A SNOW SLIDE HAD DESCENDED

On the camp and though the bulk of the avalanche had rested on the upper part of the town in their wild flight the unhappy denizens of the place half expected that at the next moment they would be buried and crushed in a bank of treacherous snow.

After the first shock was over, which lasted but a few minutes, the people were hurrying to the scene full of hopeful activity—some carrying lanterns, others shovels, and others with staffs, poles or anything that could be used in digging through the snow. About fifteen rods from the business center of the town

A WILD SCENE OF CHAOS

Presented itself. The snow was piled up to the depth of thirty feet and projecting from the packed surface were large boulders, heavy mining timbers and here and there a portion of what had once been a frame dwelling house. Even the bare contemplation of the wreck sent a thrill of horror through the frames of hundreds of spectators; then what must their feelings have been when they realized that from the location of the slide some of their acquaintances—

THEIR FRIENDS AND PERHAPS RELATIVES—

Were certainly beneath the mighty mass of snow and debris? In less time than it would require to relate it scores of hardy miners were actively at work, digging away the snow from where had stood houses occupied by human beings. While thus engaged a faint cry of help, came through the snow; again it was heard and again but growing more faint, and weaker at each successive cry. It did not take long to ascertain the direction from which the voice proceeded and when once the men on the surface had found the location there was lively shoveling of the snow for a few minutes. Short as those minutes were each must have been an age to him who was under the snow and whose sands of life were so near run out, but the quick stroke of the shovels grew more distinct to the ears of the almost doomed man and finally he was lifted

FROM HIS SNOWY BED

And the light of a dozen or more lanterns shone full in his face. The fortunate, unfortunate man was George Tomlins, an old gentleman who had made Alta his home for several years. By his side in the bed on which he had been lying, was the body of Michael Kelly—"Old Mickey"—who was known to every resident of Alta and vicinity. The snow had done its work for "Old Mickey." He and Tomlins had retired early, but were not asleep when the avalanche came. Before they knew what was the matter, or had they known before they could even have got out of bed, the building was crushed and the two men buried under at least six feet of snow. Mickey's back was broken, and it is thought he died instantly, but Tomlins was more fortunate. True to his former self after being resurrected the old man called for a "whisky straight," and in quick succession poured down several "drinks" of his favorite beverage. He had been "very dry" during the day, and this slide was a Godsend to him.

AS THE WHISKY RAN FREELY

And long before the excitement had ceased the old man was on a jolly spree.

While Tomlins and his mate were being uncovered there was a busy scene at another part of the wreck. The residence of Mr. Jas. Carey was in the course of the slide and had been either carried away or crushed. Above the site of the location the men commenced working with their shovels, and soon succeeded in finding what had been the interior of the frame house, though the building was broken to pieces and some of it carried away. A little more shoveling discovered a heart rending sight, and one which caused many of the stern, hardy miners to shed tears. Many an eye which had not been moistened by a sympathetic tear for years now swam in briny drops, and noble sons of toil who could scarcely remember the time when they had wept now cried bitterly. Seated in an easy chair and clasping to her breast her infant babe sat Mrs. Carey—

MOTHER AND CHILD BOTH DEAD

Near them was the lifeless remains of the husband and father, and in another part of the room was the corpse of an adopted daughter, a bright little girl about six years old named Laura Wilson. None of the bodies exhibited bruises of any kind, hence they had all suffocated. The expression on the mother's countenance was one of mingled anxiety and despair, as if she had hoped that her dear ones might yet be saved but had finally died realizing that all must perish. The snow around the husband's body showed that he had struggled hard to extricate himself.

In another place the dead body of an old miner named Vanderleen was found.

Up to last evening no other bodies had been discovered, though a number of men are missing and it is believed they are under the snow. It is impossible to tell how many were killed or what is the extent of damage to property and it will probably be late next spring, when the snow melts, before the facts are known.

There were apparently two slides, each of immense proportions, which started about the same time, and though they headed at different points and did not travel the same route they united immediately above Alta, the whole force and mass

ENTERING AND CRUSHING THROUGH THE TOWN

One of the avalanches started from near the Mackay mine above and west of the Emma, and on its course of destruction swept away the extensive trestle works and the large ore house at the latter mine. The other started from the Stoker mine near the top of the ridge between the two Cottonwoods and passed down a gulch east of the track of the first, the junction of the two being at the foot of the mountains on the elevated plateau north of Alta. It is unusual for snow slides to occur in that vicinity and those of Tuesday are the largest ever known there. Rain had been falling very fast all the afternoon and the snow had become thoroughly saturated and soggy with water, and the weight being thus increased caused the slide.

The people of Alta, though not expecting one of these catastrophes, were fearful that one would occur. Nearly all night on Tuesday the most terrible fears rested on the more timid of the town. The ladies there

COULD NOT BE INDUCED TO SLEEP

Anywhere in the vicinity of the slide and all the fair sex were furnished beds in the lower and better protected part of the burg.

Yesterday morning, there was considerable of an exodus from Alta, sixteen men from that place coming to this city, and we understand between twenty and thirty others will leave there to-day. One more avalanche would have the effect of almost depopulating the town. The snow was falling very fast yesterday and snow slides were expected at any time.

On Wednesday Justice Mills held an inquest on the bodies of the victims above named and last evening brought five of them to this city for interment in the city cemetery. The remains of the child Laura Wilson will be sent to Virginia City, Nevada, for burial. The little girl's mother is a resident of Alta.

THE TERRITORIES

Charles Brown was murdered by Indians near Smoky Hill, Col., last month.

The county jail at Helena is the best looking public building in Montana Territory.

The First National Bank of Bozeman declared a dividend of ten per cent. on the capital stock Jan 2d 1875.

The Renton coal mines at Seattle and transportation are again in full operation, crowding matter to a full capacity.

A new steamer is to be built at Seattle by Messrs Diggs and True for the river trade. It is to be commenced next week.

The Seattle Coal Company resume business to-day, January 28th, having been interrupted by the cold and ice on Lake Union.

The vessels *W. H. Meyers*, *J. B. Bell*, *Harvest Home*, *Gem of the Ocean* and *Jenny Pitts* all came into Seattle on the morning of the 23d ult.

Nine head of beef cattle, being shipped on board the steamer *Olympia* on Wednesday night last week, were precipitated into the bay by the gang plank slipping off the steamer. All were rescued.

A Montana editor bemoans the calamities of 1874 in the following touching strain: "First, that Beecher business, then the grasshoppers, then the Democratic victories, and now an increased tax on whisky! My goodness what is this poor country coming to?"

The by-laws and regulations of the Seattle Gold and Silver Mining Company are printed. John Collins, president; James McNaught, secretary, and F. Matthias, treasurer. The above four and J. R. Robbins, T. A. Wright, John Leary and C. B. Shattuck are the trustees.

The present bonded debt of Montana is $104 300, $6 000 of which will be redeemed upon presentation to the Treasurer. In the last month the warrants advertised for payment and paid amount $18 000. The warrants which remain unpaid have been registered since July 30, 1873.

Seven hundred head of sheep, belonging to Dr. Thomas Pollock, residing on Apache creek, Col., were laid out the other night by a compound of salt and strychnine, sprinkled in a corral by some unknown scoundrel. The sheep all died within two hours after eating the poison.

The Olympia *Courier* says: "Somebody is bound to get his name in the papers if there is not less carelessness about down Sound mails. Nearly one half of the papers and letters from that region get here by the way of Tenino or Kalama, and are, of course, from two to four days behind time."

The *Tribune* says: It is stated, and generally believed, that a scandalous elopement took place from Tacoma on Thursday of last week. The offenders were relatives—in law, brother and sister—the one a husband and father, the other a wife and mother. The couple went to Victoria.

The Montana *Herald* says: Reports from all sections of the Territory say that more snow lays on the mountain ranges than for several winters past. This is glorious news for by it our placers are assured of a more bountiful supply of water and a larger yield of gold the coming season than for some years past.

While at Port Townsend, last week, the barkentine *Fremont*, bound for Tacoma, and the schooner *Alice* for Seattle, in a bit of a sea, got foul of each other, somewhat to their own injury. The *Fremont* had her rail and house broken in the over reaching bow of the *Alice*, and, in return, inflicted some damage to the schooner.

The people of Whatcom county, W. T., are moving in the matter of opening a wagon road from the settlement to intersect the government road along the *Fraser* river, British Columbia. The road built by the British authorities is an excellent macadamized one and opening a route to tap it will be of great benefit to both localities. The distance is about 30 miles and about 7 is already slashed. An effort is being made to raise funds to open the road as a public thoroughfare; if not, it may be let as a toll road.

The Tacoma *Tribune*, of last Saturday, says: "The head winds so long prevailing in the Straits of Fuca had up to last week, when they changed, been the cause of the collection and keeping out to sea of a larger fleet of deep-water vessels than were ever together at one time at any place on the Pacific coast north of San Francisco. There were no less than sixty sail of merchantmen in that fleet, all bound in for lumber and coal ports of Puget Sound and British Columbia, and all (except the unfortunate *Pakcano*), with the same fair breeze sailed up the straits together."

HUGH SMALL GIBBITS THE RING ORGAN

ALBANY, Monday, Feb 1, 1875.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

In the Portland *Bulletin* of Saturday the editor has published a second leading editorial, exceeding a column in length, headed "Poor Old Small in trouble with his double ended saddle-bags." Every statement in that article respecting me is a *falsehood* from first to last. When an editor can write two leading articles utterly false and malicious he has placed himself outside the pale of all respect. He is therefore, in my estimation, no more Mr. Gaston, but the *malicious and lying editor* of the Portland *Bulletin*. Any person who could descend to such a base and contemptible course of conduct as to forge such lies as the lying editor of the *Bulletin* has done respecting me in the editorials of Friday and Saturday establishes *his* character as vile, and should be avoided by all good members of society.

I suppose the corrupt ring of politicians that he represents gave orders to let the bloodhounds loose and hunt Small down; don't scruple at means—the end justifies the means—call him bad names, ridicule him, malign him, insult him, forge all kinds of lies about him, leave nothing undone to crush him. These are samples of the bloodhounds and bull dogs that this lying editor and corrupt ring have employed against me. What other dogs they may employ time will tell. In the meantime I will pursue the even tenor of my way and as calmly and courageously as possible *face* their various dogs as they attack me. The lying editor draws a moral at the close of his Saturday's article. Let him digest this moral at his leisure: "All liars shall have their part in the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone."

HUGH SMALL.

TERROR TO CUBA.

Spain has grown impatient of the Cuban insurrection and has apparently been willing to resort to extraordinary measures for its repression. We are informed by the cable that Count Valmesada once more assumes the Captain Generalship of the ever faithful isle. This man was in command of the Spanish forces in Cuba in 1868, when his system of terrorism failed of its anticipated effect. Valmesada is a man of an imperious, dominating disposition. His administration of Cuban affairs in 1868 was cruel and brutal. It was under his orders, while General in Chief, that every male citizen over fifteen years of age found in the country and away from home was shot unless he could satisfactorily account for his movements. It was Valmesada who ordered that every house which did not display a white flag should be burned. It was under his administration that eight school boys were shot in Havana, and that the whole civilized world were shocked by his acts of cruelty. In August 1872 it was admitted by the Spanish authorities that 43 500 Cuban rebels had been put to death. From first to last during the present war more than 80 000 men have been sent from Spain to put down the rebellion. But the feat is not yet accomplished.—*S. F. Chronicle*.

CLEVERNESS AND ENERGY.

The following sound maxims are given in a recent address by Lord Derby to the students of Liverpool College:

"Do not any of you be disheartened because you think yourselves slow or stupid even though you may really at present appear to have good ground for the belief, and do not, on the other hand, any of you be confident of the future merely because you know or believe yourselves to have what is called cleverness. If I were to tell you that in my belief that particular quality of intellectual quickness and sharpness is by no means the first qualification for a successful career, many people would consider, in these days of competitive examinations, that I was willfully indulging in a paradox. But I believe it is the truth. Talent is the edge of the knife which makes it penetrate easily, but whether it penetrates deeply or not depends quite as much on the force applied to it as on the sharpness of the blade. What a man really takes a keen interest in, he is seldom too dull to understand and to do well, and, conversely, when a man does not care to put the best of his brains into a thing, no amount of mere cleverness will enable him to do it well if it is a thing of any real difficulty, or unless it is one which he has trained himself to do easily by much previous practice, in which latter case he is really reaping, in the present case, the fruit of past exertion, living, so to speak, upon the capital which he has accumulated by early industry. The most conspicuous instance of complete efficiency and success in active life recently witnessed is that which was obtained by the military organization of Germany, and I am told by those who ought to be the best judges, that both among Germans themselves and among other foreign critics, that efficiency and success are ascribed, not so much to any extraordinary display of genius or originality of design on the part of some few individuals, as to the generally diffused habit of minute and almost microscopic attention to every detail of duty, however apparently small, which has become a tradition in that service.

I believe that everywhere the same result will follow from the same cause. But to acquire and keep up in everyday work that habit of concentrated attention on details, two things are necessary—training and energy. The training you can all give yourselves; the energy which is necessary to [illegible] it is in part, no doubt, a gift of nature. Men have it, to begin with, in very different degrees, but it may be lost where it naturally exists, and it may be cultivated [illegible] where originally it was but feeble. And in that connection it is important to [illegible] how much depends on what [illegible] and young men are apt to [illegible] their notice [illegible] physical condition. Take two [illegible], if they could be found, exactly [illegible] mental and bodily aptitudes, and let the one go on carelessly and idly, indulging his appetites, and gratifying [illegible] of what is called [illegible], and let the other train himself by early [illegible] habits, and by giving to [illegible] brain each their fair share of employment, and at the end of two or three years they will be as wide apart in their [illegible] for exertion as if they had been [illegible] with wholly different constitutions.

"Without a normal healthy condition there can, as a rule, be no good work, and though that qualification cannot absolutely be secured or preserved by any rule, a little common sense and care will go a long way both in securing and preserving it. On that point I would give you these hints: First, that it is not mental labor which hurts anybody so much as the [illegible], but rather fretting and fidgeting over the prospect of labor to be gone through, so that the man who can accustom himself to take things coolly, which is quite as much a matter of discipline as of nature, and who by keeping well beforehand with what he has to do avoids undue hurry and nervous excitement, has a great advantage over one who follows a different practice.

"Next, I would warn you that those students who think they have no time for bodily exercise will sooner or later have to find time for illness. Thirdly, where an opportunity of choice is given, morning work is generally better than night work, and lastly—a matter which I should not stop to allude to but that I know the dangers of an over-driven existence in a crowded town—if a man can not get through his day's labor, of whatever kind it may be, without artificial support, it should be a serious consideration for him whether that kind of labor is fit for him at all."

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THE MONOPOLY ORGAN CRIES, 'MONOPOLY'

'To the Citizens of Portland and Oregon,'' was the flaming caption over an editorial article somewhat more than a column in length in yesterday's *Bulletin* Under such a promising caption we naturally expected to find some matter of proportionate gravity So we read the opening paragraph, which we found suitably vigorous, and considering it was merely introductory, suitably pointed It read as follows

> We are compelled this morning to expose one of the boldest attempts to crush the free press of the country and strangle and destroy the only Republican newspaper of this city which has ever been attempted We question whether there is a man in this city who three weeks ago would have believed that the proprietors of the opposition, sham Independent OREGONIAN could be guilty of the facts we are about to relate We certainly did not believe they would dare to seek the advantage which their vast wealth seems to have given them

By the time we reached the close of this paragraph we had fully made up our mind to resign the editorship of the OREGONIAN, as we were certain the proprietors had been guilty of some crime that would brand everybody connected with the paper with infamy, if indeed it did not send them all to Tyburn Tree But we ventured to read on, resolved to know the worst, and the more we read, the more there wasn't anything but angry words and froth, until, by the time we reached the end, there was nothing left of our resolution to retire The article was like some shops where notions or fancy goods are sold the entire stock was displayed in the show-window The *Bulletin's* statement of grievances, summered down, comes to just this Up to the 31st of December last the telegraphic dispatches published in the OREGONIAN and *Bulletin* were taken jointly by the two papers, under a contract with the telegraph company, each paper paying half the cost thereof, by which contract the company was prohibited from furnishing the same amount of dispatches to any other paper or papers in Oregon for less than the whole sum paid by both these papers, and also from furnishing any less amount of dispatches to other papers except at greatly increased rates. This, of course, gave these papers advantages in the way of telegraphic news over any paper whose patronage did not justify the paying of an equal amount. That contract expired Dec. 31st, and the OREGONIAN made an exactly similar one for itself for future dispatches, without consulting the *Bulletin*, increasing the amount of Eastern dispatches to nearly double the amount received before, and of course paying for them a larger sum in the aggregate, though not at so high a rate per word And in order to give their subscribers newer news, as well as more news, they also contracted with the California Associated Press for the right to publish their dispatches here at the same time they are published in California. In order that the editor of the *Bulletin* may take a second thought upon the style of his article and his peculiar manner of stating facts, and that our readers may see for themselves the recklessness with which the *Bulletin* vents its rage, we transcribe that paper's statement of the transaction

> Once in San Francisco, the agent of the OREGONIAN speedily closed a contract with the general agent of the Telegraph Company, agreeing to pay one thousand dollars per month for the exclusive use of the telegraphic news, thus raising the cost of news two hundred dollars per month, whereas there had been well founded expectations that the former cost of eight hundred dollars per month would be reduced And to fasten and secure its monopoly beyond all doubt, the OREGONIAN also entered into arrangements with the 'California Associated Press,' composed of a lot of Independent shams like the OREGONIAN, to furnish to the OREGONIAN's agent in San Francisco, the Eastern news, excluding all others, so that they could be doctored up and sent up to the OREGONIAN in advance of their publication in San Francisco, and so as to suit the politics of the monopoly paper, and the speculations of the Bank in greenbacks, stocks etc
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> And by all these maneuvers, and by others too long to detail here, and by the lavish expenditures of coin, the Bank, and the Bank's candidate for the Senate, has secured for their piebald unprincipled sheet a *monopoly* of the telegraphic dispatches

This extremely good natured passage is followed by an appeal in that gorgeous style which marks all the ring editor's essays at "fine writin'," closing with the following magnificent conundrum to good Republicans

> Are you willing to see a deserter from the party and a traitor to its principles, by means of vast wealth turn around and with monopoly and wrong crush out the paper that has faithfully adhered to your party and its principles, through evil as well as good report?

We give it up

Dispatches are a thing to be bought and paid for, and it is the business of those newspapers that can afford it to buy them, and their right to use them as any other class of news is used—exclusively if they choose. It is simply a matter of business enterprise, and those papers that cannot afford it will not engage in it, just as those that cannot afford to keep three or four news reporters must be content to keep a less number and furnish less news

But the truth is the OREGONIAN has no such exclusive contract with the Telegraph Company as is asserted by the *Bulletin* If the *Bulletin* wants the dispatches why does it not go along and get them, instead of whining about the OREGONIAN's enterprise in taking a larger amount than heretofore? A few weeks ago one would have supposed from reading the ring organ that it owned half of Oregon, and that the OREGONIAN was at the bottom of its purse, and only awaited a convenient moment to die of sheer want. And now the organ of the great monopolist, who has so long boasted that he carried Oregon in his breeches pockets, whines about the OREGONIAN's using the advantages which the "vast wealth" of its proprietors give it to extend and increase its facilities for furnishing its subscribers with news! That is such a letting down as we were not prepared for

But how does the outcry of "Monopoly! Monopoly!" sound coming from the *Bulletin*? If there were such a monopoly as it represents, does it lie in its mouth to complain of it? That paper was founded expressly and solely as the organ of a monopoly, and supported with money mercilessly wrung from the people of this country and of Europe It has been the most unscrupulous advocate of monopoly that ever claimed the support of a reading public O, but this Portland *Bulletin* has been a conscientious enemy of monopolies, hasn't it! When the passengers on the O & C R R asked the newsboy for an OREGONIAN they were politely told that the OREGONIAN *was not allowed to be sold on that road*, the *Bulletin* had that right *exclusively*. During the life of the *Herald* it also was excluded from the cars And this was by virtue of *a contract between the Bulletin and the railroad company* Before Mr Koehler took possession of the railway, the OREGONIAN paid for its telegraphic reports from the Legislature, while the *Bulletin's* reports were sent *gratis over the railway company's telegraph* O no, the ring organ would not countenance a monopoly under any circumstances! Never! But a little while ago the *Bulletin* was boasting that thenceforth that paper would have the publication of all Government advertisements, postal lettings, laws etc, to the exclusion of the OREGONIAN That is proof positive that that virtuous journal is above taking the benefits of a monopoly of any kind!

It makes all the difference in the world whose ox is gored, don't it?

And what a pathetic narrative is that of the ring organ about its life long and consistent devotion to the Republican party! Until within about two years, it was an avowed independent paper, owned by a Democrat of the secesh school and edited by another Democrat And it is now edited by a gentleman who conducted a Johnson organ during the strife between Andrew Johnson and the Republican Congress. These facts ought, we should think, to satisfy any person who is inclined to be sceptical in regard to the thorough and inbred Republicanism of the ring paper But if there are any who still doubt, we beg to refer them to the fact announced by the *Bulletin* of yesterday, that its negotiations for the dispatches, in San Francisco, are entrusted to that veteran radical Republican, James D. Fay!

And now hear what this life-long Republican and doughty champion of the people against monopolies proposes to do about it

> We here pledge our subscribers and the people of Oregon, that we will leave no stone unturned on this part of God's green earth until we do break the bonds of this infamous outrage on a free press.

That sounds first rate There's a terrible sight of rhetoric in it But what is the use of turning stones and pawing up "God's green earth" in that way, when nothing is required to "break the bonds of this infamous outrage" (*bonds of an outrage is good*) except to pay for the dispatches, just as the OREGONIAN does, and give them to the public just as the OREGONIAN does and intends to continue doing?

Good-bye, great defender of the people, eternal foe of monopolies, life-long and unflinching Republican, organ of the great money king, who carries the people of Oregon in his breeches pockets, paragon of virtue and model of high-toned journalism. Good-bye!

THE RING PAPER BIDS FOR DEMOCRATIC SUPPORT

Notwithstanding all the crooked goings of the Custom House ring organ of late, we were hardly prepared for what met our gaze on opening that paper yesterday morning The first thing, at the head of the editorial column, double leaded, was a piteous and pitiful cry for help, and especially for Democratic help To find the Portland *Bulletin*, owned by the great railway king, Ben Holladay, and backed by the whole ring of corruptionists who have been able at all times and on the shortest notice to raise a purse of a few thousands to buy votes in the ring interest, begging alms at anybody's hands, was scarcely to be expected, but when it holds up its palms and pleads with Democrats for pennies, surprise turns to astonishment But such is the truth Not only does it implore the Democracy to rally to its support, but in order to convince them of its readiness to return them such feeble assistance as it may be able, doubles on its record in the Louisiana matter, disavowing and repudiating the action of the military which it but a day before was defending with all its energy and ingenuity After averring that "the acts of the military were not acts of the Federal Government at all, but were wholly the acts of the State of Louisiana," the ring again proceeds thus

> By recurring to the history of the troubles the correctness of our position will be apparent. It will be remembered that after the Democrats had seized control of the House of Representatives and elected Wiltz Speaker, and seated five persons as members who held no certificates of election the turmoil and excitement was about to be ended in a bloody riot the Democrats called for the United States soldiers to preserve the peace and the soldiers entered the hall for that purpose. This interference of the federal soldiers was clearly the act of the Democrats—the act of citizens of Louisiana, and therefore a State act
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> Afterwards, when the Republicans called on Governor Kellogg to protect them in their rights, and he called upon the soldiers to remove the five Democrats who held no certificates of election, this was the act of the Republicans, the acts of citizens of Louisiana *unsupported and unauthorized* by the President or any other officer of the civil service of the United States and therefore purely a State act The soldiers were of the United States army, but their acts to preserve the peace and protect the members of the Legislature first on one side and then on the other were clearly chargeable to the State of Louisiana, and to its citizens, and not to the Federal Government.

It seems almost beyond credence that such language is to be found in the ring organ after its utterances heretofore but it is true nevertheless. A more complete going back on itself was never seen, and all for the sake of giving force to its cry for Democratic support

It would be some consolation if, when the *Bulletin* made up its mind to 'bout face" on the Louisiana matter, it had possessed the judgment and candor to take the true and legal ground, but it failed in this The idea that because the interference of the military in the organization of the State Legislature was requested by citizens of the State it was therefore an act of the State, is too ridiculous to entertain—too ridiculous for even the ring editor to believe in Under what law can the army of the United States be turned over to a State and become State Militia at the request of any citizen, be he speaker of a House of Representatives, or governor? The author of that specimen of shallowness deserves a leather medal Many's the intelligent Democrat that can be caught with that sort of chaff!

The district court Judge Jacobs presiding, convened at Seattle last Monday

THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE ON THE TILTON-BEECHER CASE

The Chicago *Tribune*, which last summer took the lead of all the principal papers in asserting and maintaining the guilt of Henry Ward Beecher on Theodore Tilton's charges, abates nothing of its severity in that regard under its new management Mr Medill appears quite as thoroughly satisfied on the point as Mr White, and charges that Plymouth Church and congregation are endeavoring to overawe the court and jury with unseemly demonstrations The *Tribune* says the course of the Beecher party, in thronging the court room and expressing their interest in the case and their sympathy with the great preacher, rushing to meet him when he comes in, and escorting him out in a body, covering his table in the court room with greenhouse flowers, &c, is not the course of persons conscious they have nothing to fear from a fair investigation and that it will do more injury than good to the cause it is intended to help The *Tribune* evidently has some personal feeling in the matter

We learn from the Puget Sound papers that private telegrams report the appointment of Hon S C Wingard as Associate Justice of Washington Territory Associate Justice Lewis having been designated as Chief Justice We congratulate the appointee and the people of the Territory

The four track railway on the New York Central route, which was begun only a year and a half ago, has proved a great success The passenger business so increased that fares are greatly reduced, while the safety of travel is promoted

WINTER ON THE SOUND

EFFECT OF TEMPERATURE ON PIETY—FEMALES VICTIMIZED—ABOUT TO BE RICH—THE COLDEST WINTER—A QUIET COURT—NOT NEW YORK BUT PITTSBURGH

[FROM OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENT]

NEW TACOMA, Jan 27 1875

Fifteen or twenty thousand people on Puget Sound and in British Columbia, deprived of their usual mail facilities for more than two weeks are about the most discontented, grumbling, swearing, complaining lot of people that can be found anywhere The people of Tacoma are noted for their piety and proverbial for their patience, but the last freeze-up has developed an astonishing amount of latent profanity, even some of the straightest laced deacons indulging in remarks that would hardly be considered orthodox under ordinary circumstances

The rise in the thermometer which I noted in my last letter was a delusion and a snare for expecting the temperature to climb up instead of down, even the most prudent housewives neglected to protect house plants and vegetables, and throughout the land there is a wail from the too confiding females over ruined plants and frozen spuds Expecting when we went to bed at night, to be compelled to dispense with a portion of the extra blankets which we had been using during the first cold snap, we awoke in the morning and concluded that we had been transported in the night to Iowa or Nebraska, or some other mild climate where they drink their stock of whisky up early in the season to keep it from freezing

The mercury has skirmished all around zero at this place, and the skating on the lakes *looked* splendid I haven't found any one however, who knows it from actual experience. No person cared about skating or doing anything that would take them away from the fire more than ten minutes The favorite and only occupation of the men during the coldest weather seemed to be hugging a hot stove and discussing Congressional aid to the railroad and the coal prospect, and cussing the weather and old zero and the mail contractors and carriers the Columbia river and everything that would stand 'cussin' '

Everyone feels particularly anxious just at present to have the mails come regularly, as there is a little bill before Congress that we are interested in, that we are afraid might pass without our hearing of it for a week or two and we want to feel rich just as soon as possible Every person here expects in some miraculous way to become suddenly wealthy when the bill passes Those who have corner lots will *of course* become millionaires at once but there are a good many who don't own corner lots, never owned a foot of land in the world and never had money enough to pay two weeks board in advance who expect to make up for their past poverty by leaping at one bound into a fortune I hope they may

Two OREGONIANS of last week reached here to-night and from them I see that from all parts comes the information that this is the coldest winter that has been experienced in twenty five years Well, that is just what is the matter here only more so The oldest white inhabitant never saw ice in Tacoma bay before Indians who look to be ever so many hundred years old say they have paddled their own canoe over the broad waters of Tacoma bay all their lives and found no ice, and that they have dug clams every day on its shores since they were tenas tillicums, but this winter there was one day that ice two inches in thickness extended nearly one mile from the shore, on some portions of the bay and there were a number of days when Lo had to go it on smoked salmon straight, on account of the ice accumulated on the shore, which prevented the usual daily chase after the lively clam Olympia harbor was covered with ice a distance of four miles There was a great deal of ice in Seattle bay, but the water was so rough that the ice didn't have half a chance. Nearly all the mills on the Sound were forced to shut down in consequence of the failure of their water supply

The district court was in session during the early part of this month in this county and it is a remarkable fact that the grand jury did not find a single indictment and the petit jury were discharged without having been called on to try a single case The lawyers are all talking of emigrating to Portland The doctors are starved out—it is so distressingly healthy here—and went there a long time ago

We have heretofore claimed for Tacoma the designation of 'The New York of the Pacific' but we propose to change, substituting 'Pittsburgh' for New York The reason for this change is that we have got coal on the brain A few months ago some very fine coal was discovered in the valley an article much superior to anything that has been discovered on the coast A few weeks ago a company was formed by some wealthy Portland capitalists for the purpose it is thought of working the coal in these and other beds which are supposed to exist in the vicinity, and building a railroad from Tacoma to the mines Talking the matter over during the cold snap the entire community got worked up into a coal fever, and for the last day or two they have been 'lighting out' for the coal fields by the score Feeling quite sure that each one of them will discover a large coal mine—especially as there is two or three feet of snow in the country which they propose prospecting which will probably remain on the ground for several weeks yet—and that we will be shipping several thousand tons of coal a day at once, and learning from a Siwash that there is a mountain of iron in that vicinity being told by a man *confidential by* the other day that he was going to *look* for limestone in the valley I do not see why, with this combination of iron, coal and lime, some one *if we put there* we should not as I here by do, file a caveat for the title of 'The Pittsburgh of the Pacific

Mr B Perkins employed on the steamer *E N Cooke* was badly injured by an explosion of a new instrument which indicates the amount of oil that goes into valves and cylinders, the heavy glass that surrounds the instrument being blown to pieces one piece striking him in the abdomen just below the navel and inflicting a ghastly wound He was taken to the hospital at Salem

The treasure shipments by Wells Fargo & Co from Salem, during the month of January were $50 188 04

SUIT AGAINST THE MILWAUKEE AND ST PAUL—Madison, Wis Jan. 9—The circuit court for two days has [illegible] in trying a suit for damages against the Chicago, Milwaukee & St Paul Railroad Company, brought by Jesse Hinckley, a fine old gentleman of Fon du Lac county, who was forcibly ejected from the cars of said company at Waterloo, though he had paid legal fare under the Potter law to Watertown Junction, the case having been sharply commented on by the press at the time. The prosecution was conducted by ex Attorney General Gill The amount asked was $25,000 the jury awarded $1 000 the company having disavowed the act of its agent, and protested against punitive damages.—*Chicago Tribune*

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T A DAVIS
PH C SCHUYLER
Portland Oregon Feb 1 1875

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The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING FEB 3 1875

THE MONOPOLY ORGAN CRIES MONOPOLY

"To the Citizens of Portland and Oregon" was the flaming caption over an editorial article somewhat more than a column in length in yesterday's *Bulletin* Under such a promising caption we naturally expected to find some matter of proportionate gravity So we read the opening paragraph, which we found suitably vigorous, and considering it was merely introductory, suitably pointed It read as follows

> We are compelled this morning to expose one of the boldest attempts to crush the free press of the country and strangle and destroy the only Republican newspaper of this city which has ever been attempted We question whether there is a man in this city who three weeks ago would have believed that the proprietors of the opposition sham Independent OREGONIAN could be guilty of the facts we are about to relate. We certainly did not believe they would dare to seek the advantage which their vast wealth seems to have given them

By the time we reached the close of this paragraph we had fully made up our mind to resign the editorship of the OREGONIAN as we were certain the proprietors had been guilty of some crime that would brand everybody connected with the paper with infamy, if indeed it did not send them all to Tyburn Tree But we ventured to read on, resolved to know the worst and the more we read, the more there wasn't anything but angry words and froth, until, by the time we reached the end, there was nothing left of our resolution to retire The article was like some shops where notions or fancy goods are sold the entire stock was displayed in the show window The *Bulletin's* statement of grievances, summered down, comes to just this Up to the 31st of December last the telegraphic dispatches published in the OREGONIAN and *Bulletin* were taken jointly by the two papers under a contract with the telegraph company, each paper paying half the cost thereof, by which contract the company was prohibited from furnishing the same amount of dispatches to any other paper or papers in Oregon for less than the whole sum paid by both these papers, and also from furnishing any less amount of dispatches to other papers except at greatly increased rates. This, of course, gave these papers advantages in the way of telegraphic news over any paper whose patronage did not justify the paying of an equal amount That contract expired Dec. 31st, and the OREGONIAN made an exactly similar one for itself for future dispatches without consulting the *Bulletin*, increasing the amount of Eastern dispatches to nearly double the amount received before, and of course paying for them a larger sum in the aggregate, though not at so high a rate per word And in order to give their subscribers newer news as well as more news, they [illegible] with the California Associated Press for the right to publish their dispatches here at the same time they are published in California. In order that the editor of the *Bulletin* may take a second thought upon the style of his article and his peculiar power of stating facts, and that our readers may see for themselves the [illegible] with which the *Bulletin* vents its rage, we transcribe that paper's statement of the transaction

> Once in San Francisco, the agent of the OREGONIAN speedily closed a contract with the local agent of the Telegraph Company agreeing to pay one thousand dollars per month for the exclusive use of the telegraphic news thus raising the cost of news two hundred dollars per month, whereas there had been well founded expectations that the former cost of eight hundred dollars per month would be reduced. And to fasten and secure its monopoly beyond all doubt the OREGONIAN also entered into arrangements with the California Associated Press, composed of a lot of Independent shams like the OREGONIAN, to furnish to the OREGONIAN's agent in San Francisco the Eastern news excluding all others, so that they could be doctored up and sent up to the OREGONIAN in advance of their publication in San Francisco and so as to suit the politics of the monopoly paper and the speculations of the Bank in greenbacks stocks etc
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> And by all these maneuvers and by others too long to detail here, and by the lavish expenditures of coin the Bank and the Bank's candidate for the Senate has secured for their piebald, unprincipled sheet a *monopoly* of the telegraphic dispatches.

This extremely good natured passage is followed by an appeal in that gorgeous style which marks all the ring editor's essays at "fine writin'," closing with the following magnificent conundrum to good Republicans

> Are you willing to see a deserter from the party and a traitor to its principles by means of vast wealth turn around and with monopoly and wrong crush out the paper that has faithfully adhered to your party and its principles, through evil as well as good report?

We give it up.

Dispatches are a thing to be bought and paid for, and it is the business of those newspapers that can afford it to buy them and their right to use them as any other class of news is used—exclusively if they choose It is simply a matter of business enterprise, and those papers that cannot afford it will not engage in it, just as those that cannot afford to keep three or four news reporters must be content to keep a less number and furnish less news

But the truth is the OREGONIAN has no such exclusive contract with the Telegraph Company as is asserted by the *Bulletin* If the *Bulletin* wants the dispatches why does it not go along and get them, instead of whining about the OREGONIAN's enterprise in taking a larger amount than heretofore? A few weeks ago one would have supposed from reading the ring organ that it owned half of Oregon and that the OREGONIAN was at the bottom of its purse, and only awaited a convenient moment to die of sheer want And now the organ of the great monopolist who has so long boasted that he carried Oregon in his breeches pockets, whines about the OREGONIAN's using the advantages which the 'vast wealth' of its proprietors give it to extend and increase its facilities for furnishing its subscribers with news! That is such a letting down as we were not prepared for

But how does the outcry of "Monopoly! Monopoly!" sound coming from the *Bulletin*? If there were such a monopoly as it represents, does it lie in its mouth to complain of it? That paper was founded expressly and solely as the organ of a monopoly, and supported with money mercilessly wrung from the people of this country and of Europe It has been the most unscrupulous advocate of monopoly that ever claimed the support of a reading public O, but this Portland *Bulletin* has been a conscientious enemy of monopolies, hasn't it? When the passengers on the O & C R R asked the newsboy for an OREGONIAN they were politely told that the OREGONIAN *was not allowed to be sold on that road*, the *Bulletin* had that right *exclusively* During the life of the *Herald* it also was excluded from the cars And this was by virtue of *a contract between the Bulletin and the railroad company* Before Mr Koehler took possession of the railway the OREGONIAN paid for its telegraphic reports from the Legislature, while the *Bulletin's* reports were sent *gratis over the railway company's telegraph* O no, the ring organ would not countenance a monopoly under any circumstances! Never! But a little while ago the *Bulletin* was boasting that thenceforth that paper would have the publication of all Government advertisements, postal lettings, laws etc to the exclusion of the OREGONIAN This is proof positive that that virtuous journal is above taking the benefits of a monopoly of any kind!

It makes all the difference in the world whose ox is gored don't it?

And what a pathetic narrative is that of the ring organ about its life long and consistent devotion to the Republican party! Until within about two years, it was an avowed independent paper, owned by a Democrat of the secesh school and edited by another Democrat And it is now edited by a gentleman who conducted a Johnson organ during the strife between Andrew Johnson and the Republican Congress These facts ought, we should think to satisfy any person who is inclined to be sceptical in regard to the thorough and inbred Republicanism of the ring paper But if there are any who still doubt we beg to refer them to the fact announced by the *Bulletin* of yesterday, that its negotiations for the dispatches, in San Francisco, are entrusted to that veteran radical Republican James D Fay!

And now hear what this life long Republican and doughty champion of the people against monopolies proposes to do about it

> We here pledge our subscribers and the people of Oregon that we will leave no stone unturned on this part of God's green earth until we do break the bonds of this infamous outrage on a free press

That sounds first rate There's a terrible sight of rhetoric in it But what is the use of turning stones and pawing up "God's green earth" in that way, when nothing is required to "break the bonds of this infamous outrage" (*bonds of an outrage* is good), except to pay for the dispatches, just as the OREGONIAN does, and give them to the public just as the OREGONIAN does and intends to continue doing?

Good bye, great defender of the people, eternal foe of monopolies, life long and unflinching Republican, organ of the great money king, who carries the people of Oregon in his breeches pockets, paragon of virtue and model of high-toned journalism Good-bye!

THE RING PAPER BIDS FOR DEMOCRATIC SUPPORT

Notwithstanding all the crooked goings of the Custom House ring organ of late we were hardly prepared for what met our gaze on opening that paper yesterday morning The first thing, at the head of the editorial column, double leaded, was a piteous and pitiful cry for help, and especially for Democratic help To find the Portland *Bulletin*, owned by the great railway king Ben Holladay, and backed by the whole ring of corruptionists who have been able at all times and on the shortest notice to raise a purse of a few thousands to buy votes in the ring interest begging alms at anybody's hands, was scarcely to be expected, but when it holds up its palms and pleads with Democrats for pennies, surprise turns to astonishment But such is the truth Not only does it implore the Democracy to rally to its support, but in order to convince them of its readiness to return them such feeble assistance as it may be able doubles on its record in the Louisiana matter, disavowing and repudiating the action of the military which it but a day before was defending with all its energy and ingenuity After averring that "the acts of the military were not acts of the Federal Government at all, but were wholly the acts of the State of Louisiana," the ring again proceeds thus

> By recurring to the history of the troubles the correctness of our position will be apparent It will be remembered that after the Democrats had seized control of the House of Representatives and elected Wiltz Speaker and seated five persons as members who held no certificates of election the turmoil and excitement was about to be ended in a bloody riot the Democrats called for the United States soldiers to preserve the peace and the soldiers entered the hall for that purpose This interference of the federal soldiers was clearly the act of the Democrats—the act of citizens of Louisiana and therefore a State act
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> Afterwards, when the Republicans called on Governor Kellogg to protect them in their rights and he called upon the soldiers to remove the five Democrats who held no certificates of election this was the act of the Republicans, the acts of citizens of Louisiana, *unsupported and unauthorized* by the President or any other officer of the civil service of the United States and therefore purely a State act The soldiers were of the United States army but their acts to preserve the peace and protect the members of the Legislature, first on one side and then on the other, were clearly chargeable to the State of Louisiana, and to its citizens and not to the Federal Government.

It seems almost beyond credence that such language is to be found in the ring organ after its utterances heretofore, but it is true nevertheless A more complete going back on itself was never seen, and all for the sake of giving force to its cry for Democratic support

It would be some consolation if when the *Bulletin* made up its mind to "about face" on the Louisiana matter it had possessed the judgment and candor to take the true and legal ground, but it failed in this The idea that because the interference of the military in the organization of the State Legislature was requested by citizens of the State it was therefore an act of the State, is too ridiculous to entertain—too ridiculous for even the ring editor to believe in Under what law can the army of the United States be turned over to a State and become State Militia at the request of any citizen, be he speaker of a House of Representatives or governor? The author of that specimen of shallowness deserves a leather medal Many's the intelligent Democrat that can be caught with that sort of chaff!

The district court Judge Jacobs presiding, convened at Seattle last Monday

THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE ON THE TILTON BEECHER CASE

The Chicago *Tribune*, which last summer took the lead of all the principal papers in asserting and maintaining the guilt of Henry Ward Beecher on Theodore Tilton's charges, abates nothing of its severity in that regard under its new management. Mr Medill appears quite as thoroughly satisfied on the point as Mr White, and charges that Plymouth Church and congregation are endeavoring to overawe the court and jury with unseemly demonstrations The *Tribune* says the course of the Beecher party in thronging the court room and expressing their interest in the case and their sympathy with the great preacher, rushing to meet him when he comes in, and escorting him out in a body, covering his table in the court room with greenhouse flowers &c is not the course of persons conscious they have nothing to fear from a fair investigation, and that it will do more injury than good to the cause it is intended to help The *Tribune* evidently has some personal feeling in the matter

We learn from the Puget Sound papers that private telegrams report the appointment of Hon S C Wingard as Associate Justice of Washington Territory Associate Justice Lewis having been designated as Chief Justice We congratulate the appointee and the people of the Territory

The four track railway on the New York Central route which was begun only a year and a half ago has proved a great success The passenger business so increased that fares are greatly reduced while the safety of travel is promoted

WINTER ON THE SOUND

EFFECT OF TEMPERATURE ON PIETY—FEMALES VICTIMIZED—ABOUT TO BE RICH—THE COLDEST WINTER—A QUIET COURT—NOT NEW YORK BUT PITTSBURGH

[FROM OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENT]

NEW TACOMA Jan 27 1875

Fifteen or twenty thousand people on Puget Sound and in British Columbia, deprived of their usual mail facilities for more than two weeks are about the most discontented grumbling swearing complaining lot of people that can be found anywhere The people of Tacoma are noted for their piety and proverbial for their patience but the last freeze-up has developed an astonishing amount of latent profanity even some of the straightest laced deacons indulging in remarks that would hardly be considered orthodox under ordinary circumstances

The rise in the thermometer which I noted in my last letter was a delusion and a snare for expecting the temperature to climb up instead of down even the most prudent housewives neglected to protect house plants and vegetables and throughout the land there is a wail from the too confiding females over ruined plants and frozen spuds Expecting when we went to bed at night to be compelled to dispense with a portion of the extra blankets which we had been using during the first cold snap, we awoke in the morning and concluded that we had been transported in the night to Iowa or Nebraska or some other mild climate, where they drank their stock of whisky up early in the season to keep it from freezing

The mercury has skirmished all around zero at this place and the skating on the lakes *looked* splendid I haven't found any one however who knows it from actual experience. No person cared about skating or doing anything that would take them away from the fire more than ten minutes The favorite and only occupation of the men during the coldest weather seemed to be hugging a hot stove and discussing Congressional aid to the railroad and the coal prospect, and cussing the weather and old zero and the mail contractors and carriers the Columbia river and everything that would stand cussin'

Everyone feels particularly anxious just at present to have the mails come regularly as there is a little bill before Congress that we are interested in that we are afraid might pass without our hearing of it for a week or two and we want to feel rich just as soon as possible Every person here expects in some miraculous way to become suddenly wealthy when that bill passes Those who have corner lots will *of course* become millionaires at once but there are a good many who don't own corner lots never owned a foot of land in the world and never had money enough to pay two weeks board in advance who expect to make up for their past poverty by leaping at one bound into a fortune I hope they may

Two OREGONIANS of last week reached here to night and from them I see that from all parts comes the information that this is the coldest winter that has been experienced in twenty five years Well, that is just what is the matter here only more so The oldest "white inhabitant" never saw ice in Tacoma bay before Indians who look to be ever so many hundred years old say they have paddled their own canoe over the broad waters of Tacoma bay all their lives and found no ice and that they have dug clams every day on its shores since they were tenas tilicums, but this winter there was one day that ice two inches in thickness extended nearly one mile from the shore, on some portions of the bay and there were a number of days when I had to go it on smoked salmon straight on account of the ice accumulated on the shore, which prevented the usual daily chase after the lively clam Olympia harbor was covered with ice a distance of four miles There was a great deal of ice in Seattle bay, but the water was so rough that the ice didn't have half a chance. Nearly all the mills on the Sound were forced to shut down in consequence of the failure of their water supply

The district court was in session during the early part of this month in this county and it is a remarkable fact that the grand jury did not find a single indictment and the petit jury were discharged without having been called on to try a single case The lawyers are all talking of emigrating to Portland The doctors are starved out—it is so distressingly healthy here—and went there a long time ago

We have heretofore claimed for Tacoma the designation of "The New York of the Pacific" but we propose to change substituting "Pittsburgh" for New York. The reason for this change is that we have got coal on the brain A few months ago some very fine coal was discovered in the valley an article much superior to anything that has been discovered on the coast A few weeks ago a company was formed by some wealthy Portland capitalists for the purpose, it is thought of working the coal in these and other beds which are supposed to exist in the vicinity and building a railroad from Tacoma to the mines. Talking the matter over during the cold snap the entire community got worked up into a coal fever and for the last day or two they have been lightin' out for the coal fields by the score Feeling quite sure that each one of them will discover a large coal mine—especially as there is two or three feet of snow in the country which they propose prospecting, which will probably remain on the ground for several weeks yet—and that we will be shipping several thousand tons of coal a day at once and learning from a Siwash that there is a mountain of iron in that vicinity being told by a man *confidentially* the other day that he was going to *look* for limestone in the valley I do not see why with this combination of iron coal and limestone *if we find them* we should not as I hereby do file a caveat for the title of "The Pittsburgh of the Pacific"

Mr B Perkins employed on the steamer *E V Cooke* was badly injured by an explosion of a new instrument which indicates the amount of oil that goes into valves and cylinders the heavy glass that surrounds the instrument being blown to pieces one piece striking him in the abdomen just below the navel, and inflicting a ghastly wound He was taken to the hospital at Salem

The treasure shipments by Wells, Fargo & Co from Salem during the month of January were $59,188 04

SUIT AGAINST THE MILWAUKEE AND ST PAUL—Madison, Wis, [illegible] circuit court for two days has been occupied in trying a suit for damages against the Chicago, Milwaukee & St Paul Railway Company, brought by Jesse Hinckley, a fine old gentleman of Fond du Lac county, who was forcibly ejected from the cars of said company at Waterloo, though he had paid legal fare under the Potter law to Watertown Junction, the case having been sharply commented on by the press at the time The prosecution was conducted by ex Attorney General Gill The amount asked was $25 000 the jury awarded $1 000, the company having disavowed the act of its agent, and protested against punitive damages—*Chicago Tribune.*

NEW TO-DAY.

ACCOUNT BOOKS A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT at C Y WINTZINGERODE'S Stark St

WOOL BLANKETS—FOR SALE AT 107 Third street by JOHN WILSON

SUGAR AND RICE!

ON FALKINBURG NOW IN THE RIVER 1 100 kegs SUGAR—JAMES MAKEE and Wailuku brands No 1—
The Best that Comes to this Market,
AND
150 Bags Choice Hawaiian Rice,
For sale by J McCRAKEN & CO.

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ATLANTIC, BARTLETT, JEWETT and COMMON BRANDS in wood and tin—
At the Lowest Market Rates.

HODGE, CALEF & CO.,
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75 Front Street.

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FOR SALE:—THE ELEGANT RETAIL
DRUG STORE,
Situated on the corner of First and Ash streets, adjoining Ankeny's Market This Store includes one of
TUFT'S ARCTIC SODA FOUNTAINS,
And Apparatus and a
PRESCRIPTION FILE,
The Highest Numbered of any in the city
The Fixtures of the Store are of the most Elegant Design and are unsurpassed by any in the city
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WAKEFIELD & CO.,
DEALERS IN
CUMBERLAND, LEHIGH,
And all kinds of
COAL.
ADVANCES MADE ON CONSIGNMENTS OF Produce and personal attention given to the purchase and shipment of Merchandise and the sale of Oregon Produce
San Francisco Oct. 1, 1874

NOTICE.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between the undersigned under the firm name of DAVIS & SCHUYLER is this day dissolved by mutual consent H C Schuyler retiring therefrom All debts due the late firm become the property of T A Davis & Co by whom all liabilities will be settled
T A DAVIS
H C SCHUYLER
Portland Oregon Feb 1 1875

Referring to the above, the undersigned give notice that they have this day formed a copartnership under the firm name of T A DAVIS & CO for the purpose of continuing the business of the late firm of Davis & Schuyler at the old stand No 71 Front street
T A DAVIS
F K ARNOLD
Portland Oregon Feb 1 1875 fe3d&w2m

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between G Bruggman and H Varwig in the Pioneer Bakery is this day dissolved by mutual consent H VARWIG will continue the business at the old stand and is authorized to collect all dues and will pay all debts
C BRUGMAN
H VARWIG
Jan 30 1875 fe2dot

VALENTINES!

VALENTINES!
An
Immense Stock!
Wholesale and Retail
AT
J. K. GILL & CO.'S,
73 First Street.
VALENTINES!
VALENTINES!

NOTICE.

WE HAVE THIS DAY SOLD OUR ENTIRE Stock of Pictures Frames and Mouldings to Messrs BUCHTEL STOLTE & MORSE of this city who will continue the business at the same place No 7 First street
Thanking the public for the liberal patronage bestowed upon us in the past we bespeak a continuance of the same for our successors in the future We shall hereafter devote ourselves exclusively to the MUSICAL INSTRUMENT business
G A STEEL & CO
Portland Jan 25 1875

BUCHTEL, STOLTE & MORSE.
(Successors to G A Steel & Co,)
DEALERS IN
Pictures, Frames & Mouldings
OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.
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CARPETS, OIL CLOTHS, RUGS, MATS, SHADES, VALENCES, CURTAINS,

A well selected and large stock Also Mouldings for Cornices and Pictures, at the lowest prices by the
OREGON FURNITURE MANUFACTURING CO [illegible]
PORTLAND.

AMUSEMENTS.

A GRAND FAIR!
For the Benefit of the
BETH ISRAEL SYNAGOGUE,
Will be given by the
Ladies of the Congregation,
AT PHILHARMONIC HALL,
ON FEBRUARY 15, 16, 17, 18 AND 20.
TERMINATING WITH A GRAND
Vocal & Instrumental Concert
On Tuesday Evening Feb 23 at Masonic Hall
EXCELLENT MUSIC
In attendance every evening
Numerous attractions will be offered tending to make this the affair of the season.
LUNCHES SERVED
From 11 A M to 2 P M and each evening

THIRD GRAND
MASQUERADE BALL
OF THE
Portland Turn Verein's,
AT THE
SKATING RINK,
ON
MONDAY EVENING, FEB. 8th.
PROGRAMME, LATER.

THE
German Aid Society
OF THIS CITY
WILL GIVE A
Grand Bazar & Concert
ON
MARCH 15, 16, 17 and 18, 1875.
The Proceeds will be applied to the Erection of a German Hospital.

PROPOSALS FOR IRON
FOR THE
CAPITOL BUILDING
AT SALEM OREGON

BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE of the Board of Capitol Building Commissioners for the following iron viz
46 Window Sills 9 feet 4 inches long 1 foot 10 inches wide
4 Window Sills, 11 feet 8 inches long 1 foot 10 inches wide
40 Window Caps, 9 feet 6 inches long
90 Brackets for window pilasters
90 Corbels, under window sills
94 Pieces Bed Moulding, 2 feet 4½ inches long
64 Pilaster Caps.
48 Key Stones
48 Ornaments, in pannels
360 Leaves, for medallions.
780 Ornaments on side medallions.
This iron must be furnished within the time and made to conform to the plans and specifications of the same as described in the detailed drawing and specifications now to be seen in the office of the Architect, W W Piper in Salem
Said bids must be accompanied by an undertaking with two or more sureties of not less than five per cent of the amount of said bid conditioned that if the contract be awarded to the said bidder he will enter into bonds for the faithful performance of said contract
The bids received by the Board for said iron will be opened by said Board at their office in Salem on the 27th day of February 1875 at 1 o clock P M of said day
The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids that shall in their judgment not be accompanied with sufficient sureties and also to reject all the bids in case all shall be too high
Cash in coin will be paid on delivery of the iron at Salem
By order of the Board
H STAPLETON, President.
P L WILLIS Secretary j28 30d

JUST RECEIVED
A FULL ASSORTMENT OF THE CELEBRATED "ANCHOR" BRAND
NAILS.
THE BEST NAIL IN MARKET.
Shelf and Builders' Hardware.
MECHANICS' TOOLS,
&c &c at
61 FRONT STREET, CORNER STARK.
JOHN R. FOSTER.

WINDOW GLASS.
350 BOXES,
AT COST OF IMPORTATION
FROM ENGLAND,
Sizes from 8x10 to 28x40,
IN LOTS TO SUIT.
FOR SALE BY
GEO. L. STORY,
PORTLAND.
Orders can be left with J H CRAWFORD, at KILBOURN'S AUCTION HOUSE.

REMOVED.
DR. J. R. CARDWELL,
Dentist,
Has removed to Room No 4 Dekum's Building cor First and Washington streets. daw

OCEAN STEAMERS.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO, DIRECT.
CARRYING U. S. MAILS.
THE OREGON STEAMSHIP CO'S Steamer
AJAX,
FRED BOLLES ... Commander,
Will leave Portland Warehouse and Dock Company's Wharf at Foot of F street, for the above port
TUESDAY, JANUARY 19, 1875,
At 4 o clock, P M
For Freight or Passage apply at the Office of the Company corner F and Front streets.
GEO W WEIDLER Agent.

For PORT TOWNSEND, SAN JUAN, NANAIMO, FORT WRANGEL and SITKA,
CARRYING U. S. MAILS.
THE OREGON STEAMSHIP CO'S Steam Propeller
CALIFORNIA,
JOHN HAYES ... Commander
Will leave Portland Warehouse and Dock Company's Wharf at foot of F street, for the above port
THURSDAY, JANUARY 28, 1875,
At 4 o clock P M,
For Freight or Passage apply at the Office of the Company corner of F and Front sts
GEO W WEIDLER Agent.

From Coos Bay & San Francisco
REGULAR STEAMSHIP LINE.
THE FAVORITE STEAMERS
EASTPORT,
J F WHITNEY ... Master
EMPIRE,
C H BUTLER ... Master
Make regular trips. Stages from Roseburg connecting with steamers at Coos Bay
F SCHETTER Agent, Coos Bay D BEADLE, Agent, San Francisco 106 Davis st., near California. oct[illegible]

RIVER STEAMERS.

NOTICE,
UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE THE STEAMER WELCOME will leave the dock foot of Ash street (O S N Co's wharf) at 6 o clock A M every morning (Sunday excepted) for Oregon City connecting with the Steamer ALICE on Monday and Thursday for Corvallis and intermediate points and on other days with the FANNIE PATTON and E N COOKE of which due notice will be given by Posters
FARE, ONE DOLLAR.
For Butteville Champoeg Dayton and Lafayette, connecting with Steamer DAYTON on Monday Wednesday and Friday.
Fare, 75 Cents.
All up freight to Corvallis or Lafayette and intermediate points for One Dollar per Ton
Freight received on the Dock of the O S N Co or O S S Co for any of the above points.
Through Freights to Astoria forwarded without delay at the lowest rates
All Freight delivered free of drayage.
J. D. BILES, Agent.

Oregon Steam Navigation Co.'s
PASSENGER SCHEDULE.
PASSENGERS LEAVE PORTLAND FOR DALLES Daily (except Sunday) at 5 o'clock A. M.
FOR ASTORIA Daily (except Sunday,) at 6 A.M.
FOR KALAMA AND TACOMA—Daily (Sundays excepted) at 6 A. M.
FOR VICTORIA—Wednesday and Saturday at 6 A. M
S G REED Vice Pres't.

The Willamette River Transportation Co.'s Steamers
Will leave the Central Wharf between Washington and Alder sts., as follows
Steamer "GOV GROVER" for Corvallis, on Monday and Thursday at 6 A M
Steamer "WILLAMETTE CHIEF" for Albany, on Tuesday and Friday at 6 A M
Steamer "SHOSHONE" for Points on the Yamhill River, on Monday Wednesday and Friday at 8 A M
Steamer "BEAVER" for Astoria, Tuesday Thursday and Saturday at 6 A. M.
Lightering and Towing of Vessels between Portland and Astoria at REDUCED RATES
FRANK T DODGE Agent.

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INDEPENDENT LINE!
THE LIGHT DRAFT STEAMER
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Leaves the Wharf foot of Alder street Portland for Salem Albany and all intermediate points on Wednesdays and Saturdays of each week Leaves Albany on return Mondays and Thursdays, until further notice. No delays on account of low water Rates of freight reasonable For any further information apply on board, or to Frank Dodge, Agent, on the wharf
n21tf U B SCOTT [illegible]

Astoria to Oysterville.
The Steamer FAVORITE, carrying the U S Mails leaves ASTORIA and UNITY on Mondays, Tuesdays Fridays and Saturdays connecting with the O S N Co's boats
On intermediate days the Boat can be chartered for any business that offers
Through freight to Oysterville will be receipted for on the O S N Co's wharf at Portland and through passage can be secured by applying to Pursers of the Company's steamers
J C FOX
d17d3tawtf Agent, Astoria.

Portland & Vancouver Packet.
THE STEAMER VANCOUVER,
JAS W TROUPE, Master
WILL LEAVE DAILY FROM WASHINGTON Street Wharf for Vancouver, at 2:30 P M. Returning leave Vancouver at 8 A. M.
For freight or passage apply on board.

GROCERIES.

HACHENEY & SIEMMER,
GROCERS,
Cor. First and Taylor Sts.
A COMPLETE STOCK OF
FRESH GOODS.
PROMPT ATTENTION FREE DELIVERY

WANTED!
WE WILL PAY THE HIGHEST PRICE for good lots of
Wheat, Barley, Oats, Potatoes,
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At 10 o'clock [illegible]
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50 bxs Navy [illegible]
8,600 La Mattie Cigars [illegible]
275 bxs C. O SOAP
200 bxs Fancy SOAP
50 chests Japan TEA
50 bxs WASHING PO[illegible]
DRY GOODS AND CL[illegible]
20 sets Steel FIRE IRONS
8 doz GALVANIZED [illegible]
6 doz Eng FRY PANS
PICTURES and FRAM[illegible]
HAT RACKS, &c,
BEDROOM, DINING [illegible]
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A. P. [illegible]
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N B—A[illegible] Tenth [illegible]

BUSINESS [illegible]
A. L. FRA[illegible]
[illegible]
AFTER EIGHT YEARS [illegible] Teaching Music, offe[illegible] citizens of Portland Will receive Pupils on the [illegible] Violin
Orders may be left at Gray's M[illegible] Residence at Mrs Taylor's cor. [illegible]

E. M. BURTO[illegible]
ARCHITE[illegible]
Over H. Boyd's [illegible] —
Bet. Washington and Sta[illegible]
PORTLAND.

H. W. BIL[illegible]
Locksmith, Safe-Maker [illegible]
Washington Street, between [illegible]
MY PATRONS AND CUSTOMERS [illegible] me at the above place [illegible] notice to do any kind of work [illegible] Locks and Safes repaired at [illegible] No 1 style. Bells hung in the [illegible] models made to order

R. DINSMORE, [illegible]
73 [illegible] St. [illegible]
Money loaned on real [illegible] ty Legal Tenders bought and sold [illegible] BOUGHT [illegible] coin. Exchange on S. F.

BOOTS AND [illegible]
MADE TO [illegible]
IF YOU WANT A [illegible] BOOTS made to [illegible] J. [illegible]
Repairing p[illegible]ptly [illegible]

HALL, BRO[illegible]
WARRA[illegible]
PURE WHI[illegible]
NEW YO[illegible]
50 Tons White [illegible]
[illegible]
Tin Pails of 25 [illegible]
Wood Kegs of 100 lbs [illegible]
Wood Kegs of 50 lbs [illegible]
FORFEITED IF A[illegible]
For Sale to the Trade by
A. HAYWA[illegible]
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OSCAR KL[illegible]
AUCTION AND COMM[illegible]
Corner Fi[illegible]
WILL PURCHASE AND [illegible] Merchandise, Fu[illegible]
Regular Sale Days, T[illegible]
A general [illegible] sale.
OSCAR KL[illegible]

Don't Over[illegible]
FOR $7,000; O[illegible]
Title [illegible]
MY ELEGANT RESID[illegible] [illegible] 1 and 2, Block 308, is for [illegible]
ja4 2m

The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, FEB 3, 1875.

CITY.

BARK WINDWARD—This vessel having undergone all needed repairs, is now lying at [illegible]ard's wharf After getting off the [illegible] the mouth of the Columbia, the vessel was beached at Astoria and the several holes punched through the hull by the anchor thoroughly repaired. The Windward came up to this city, but for some reason commenced to leak A board of survey was appointed to carefully examine the condition of the vessel consisting of Capt. Flanders, Capt. [illegible], John Holland and N Clinton [illegible] Under direction of the board the vessel was taken below the Greenwich wharf, beached and "hove down." It was then discovered that all the oakum and caulking had worked out of one of the seams near the stern for the distance of more than 15 feet. The copper sheathing had also been scraped off at the time the vessel grounded New caulking was used, [illegible] sion of water, and [illegible] all over On righting the vessel it was discovered that she still leaked She was again beached, and the opposite side of the hull exposed, when it was found that the copper was torn off, and the caulking pulled out in one place. Similar repairs were made, and on righting the craft she was found to be as "tight as a cup," and since then has not leaked a quart. An examination was made by the board a few [illegible] and in the opinion of the members, [illegible] square to the deck and upper [illegible], of the *Windward* was [illegible] these instructions have been [illegible] and at an inspection of the [illegible] the board pronounced her in [illegible] in a staunch and seaworthy [illegible] most careful examination,

"MAN'S INHUMANITY TO MAN."—Monday evening one of the most inhuman and sickening spectacles was presented to the view of those happening to be passing up or down Front street, between 4 and 5 P M. The recovered body of Louis Griffith, just as it was taken from the river, contorted and disfigured by the death struggles of the poor boy, and covered with the mud and filth of the river bed from which it had been taken, was in a most heartless and unfeeling manner placed in an open express wagon without covering of any kind, and the wagon was then hauled for many blocks up Front street, thus presenting one of the most heart-rending and sickening sights to those who happened to be passing on the street at that time, [illegible] at that time in the afternoon by [illegible] and children as well as men; a proceeding not only disgusting in the extreme, but [illegible] fraught with danger. Such a sight as the one described presented suddenly to a nervous or invalid lady might result in [illegible] fatal consequences. Such conduct on the part of the coroner (the person in charge of the body), a sworn officer of the law, is most revolting, and cannot be too severely condemned. The above facts were related to us by a gentleman who witnessed them himself.

BY THE RIVER [illegible] Bosco, who was one of the [illegible] passengers of the *Ajax*, [illegible] here from Astoria, with several others, left Astoria Saturday on the *Dixie Thompson*, and came up about [illegible] to Eagle Cliff, where, the boat being unable to proceed any further [illegible], they landed on the Washington Territory side. With infinite pains, they climbed up a precipitous bluff and footed it [illegible] to Oak Point, and [illegible], where they took the Northern Pacific railway to Kalama. At this point they [illegible] by the way," crossed the Columbia on the ice. This was a most perilous adventure, the ice being rotten, and one of the party narrowly escaped drowning. After crossing the river, Mr Bosco, with Capt. [illegible] made the rest of the way [illegible], reaching Portland [illegible]. Bosco says that it is the worst trip in the world, and we admit that it is the worst but one. That one is the tramp over the military road—so-called. We have tried the latter, and we intend to maintain to our dying day that its equal is to be found nowhere under the sun. Bosco may call his road No 2, but we shall call out any man who says the other is not No. 1.

[illegible] Bennett died on board the steamer *Annie Stewart* yesterday afternoon, a few minutes subsequent to the departure of the boat from the wharf at Kalama. Bennett was taken suddenly ill at Kalama on Monday morning. He continued to vomit during the day and the following night, at intervals. In a very weak and exhausted condition Bennett came down to the wharf, and went on board the steamer a short time before she started for Portland. He could not walk without assistance, and being brought on board, laid down. Not more than fifteen minutes elapsed from the time the steamer left the wharf before the poor fellow had quietly breathed his last. Deceased was aged about 23 years. He was a native of Liverpool and had been discharged but a few weeks from the bark *Harbinger* which arrived at Port Townsend He has a brother residing in Melbourne Australia, and also another in Boston The body was brought up to the city last evening and the coroner notified Up to a late hour no inquest had been held

RELIGIOUS MEETING.—The pastor of the Baptist church was agreeably surprised last evening by the informal gathering of quite a large number of his church at his study, which resolved itself into a social meeting of the most social kind, and closed with a season of prayer Steps were taken for a new plan of labor among the people and the fact was patent to all that the late union meetings had left an abundant residuum of earnestness in all our characters Meanwhile, about forty young people were gathered in the vestry below, holding a most interesting prayer meeting, which will be continued strictly in the interest of young people of any faith, every Tuesday evening at 7.30 o clock Nothing of stiffness appeared, and many, whose modesty has kept them from expressing their feelings in the larger meetings, here found themselves able to speak freely and pleasantly Meetings will be held on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings at the vestry, to which all are cordially invited

A NEW BRICK BUILDING.—During the present week a number of men have been engaged in gathering up the charred and partially consumed rubbish at the scene of the late conflagration on Second street, between Alder and Morrison and burning it. Arrangements, we understand, have been effected by one of the principal Chinese firms of the city to construct a large brick structure on one portion of the ground over which the fire burned The ground belongs to Mr. Cadwell but a lease of ten years has been made by the firm proposing to erect the new building The dimensions of the structure are 47x00 feet and two stories high To the rear of this building a smaller one, 40x30 feet one story high will be added, making the entire room occupied by the structure 50x1000 feet. In a few days the rubbish will be removed and the work of excavating commence Mr John Byers has the contract for the proposed building

RAILROAD FERRYBOAT.—Since this craft collided with the pile-driver some time ago it has been in a leaky condition, and it is found necessary to have a pump running most of the time to keep the water out The crossing to and fro of heavily loaded trucks has had the effect to somewhat rack the boat and cause the caulking to work loose between the seams At length the condition of the boat is such that an overhauling is very necessary It is the intention to take the ferry down to Astoria just as soon as the river opens and place her on the ways, where the hull will receive a most thorough overhauling.

FINISHED.—The new cylinder for the steamer *Senator* was cast a few days ago and is almost completed It is one of the finest pieces of casting which has ever been turned out from the Willamet Iron-Works. The new cylinder has been placed on board the steamer and will be ready for service in a few days A large steam chest was turned out from the Works yesterday for the steamer *Vancouver*.

INQUEST POSTPONED.—No inquest was held over the remains of the young sailor, Louis Griffeth, yesterday, as was the intention, on account of the coroner not being able to procure the attendance of the two men Fleming and Enners who were in the boat when the boy was drowned We understand that the inquest has been postponed until next Saturday

The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING FEB 3 1875

THE MONOPOLY ORGAN CRIES, MONOPOLY

"To the Citizens of Portland and Oregon" was the flaming caption over an editorial article somewhat more than a column in length in yesterday's *Bulletin*. Under such a promising caption we naturally expected to find some matter of proportionate gravity. So we read the opening paragraph which we found suitably vigorous and considering it was merely introductory suitably pointed. It read as follows:

> We are compelled this morning to expose one of the boldest attempts to crush the free press of the country and strangle and destroy the only Republican newspaper of this city which has ever been attempted. We question whether there is a man in this city who three weeks ago would have believed that the proprietors of the opposition sham Independent OREGONIAN could be guilty of the facts we are about to relate. We certainly did not believe they would dare to seek the advantage which their vast wealth seems to have given them.

By the time we reached the close of this paragraph we had fully made up our mind to resign the editorship of the OREGONIAN as we were certain the proprietors had been guilty of some crime that would brand everybody connected with the paper with infamy, if indeed it did not send them all to Tyburn Tree. But we ventured to read on, resolved to know the worst and the more we read, the more there wasn't anything but angry words and froth, until, by the time we reached the end, there was nothing left of our resolution to retire. The article was like some shops where notions or fancy goods are sold: the entire stock was displayed in the show window. The *Bulletin's* statement of grievances, summered down, comes to just this: Up to the 31st of December last the telegraphic dispatches published in the OREGONIAN and *Bulletin* were taken jointly by the two papers, under a contract with the telegraph company, each paper paying half the cost thereof, by which contract the company was prohibited from furnishing the same amount of dispatches to any other paper or papers in Oregon for less than the whole sum paid by both these papers, and also from furnishing any less amount of dispatches to other papers except at greatly increased rates. This, of course, gave these papers advantages in the way of telegraphic news over any paper whose patronage did not justify the paying of an equal amount. That contract expired Dec. 31st and the OREGONIAN made an exactly similar one for itself for future dispatches without consulting the *Bulletin* increasing the amount of Eastern dispatches to nearly double the amount received before, and of course paying for them a larger sum in the aggregate though not at so high a rate per word. And in order to give their subscribers newer news, as well as more news, they also contracted with the California Associated Press for the right to publish their dispatches here at the same time they are published in California. In order that the editor of the *Bulletin* may take a second thought upon the style of his article and his peculiar manner of stating facts and that our readers may see for themselves the recklessness with which the *Bulletin* vents its rage, we transcribe that paper's statement of the transaction:

> Once in San Francisco the agent of the OREGONIAN speedily closed a contract with the general agent of the Telegraph Company agreeing to pay one thousand dollars per month for the exclusive use of the telegraphic news thus raising the cost of news two hundred dollars per month whereas there had been well founded expectations that the former cost of eight hundred dollars per month would be reduced. And to fasten and secure its monopoly beyond all doubt the OREGONIAN also entered into arrangements with the California Associated Press composed of a lot of Independent shams like the OREGONIAN to furnish to the OREGONIAN'S agent in San Francisco the Eastern news excluding all others, so that they could be doctored up and sent up to the OREGONIAN in advance of their publication in San Francisco and so as to suit the politics of the monopoly paper and the peculations of the Bank in greenbacks stocks etc.
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> And by all these maneuvers and by others too long to detail here and by the lavish expenditures of coin the Bank and the Bank's candidate for the Senate has secured for their piebald unprincipled sheet a *monopoly* of the telegraphic dispatches.

This extremely good natured passage is followed by an appeal in that gorgeous style which marks all the ring editor's essays at "fine writin'," closing with the following magnificent conundrum to good Republicans:

> Are you willing to see a deserter from the party and a traitor to its principles by means of vast wealth turn around and with monopoly and wrong crush out the paper that has faithfully adhered to your party and its principles, through evil as well as good report?

We give it up.

Dispatches are a thing to be bought and paid for and it is the business of those newspapers that can afford it to buy them, and their right to use them as any other class of news is used—exclusively if they choose. It is simply a matter of business enterprise, and those papers that cannot afford it will not engage in it just as those that cannot afford to keep three or four news reporters must be content to keep a less number and furnish less news.

But the truth is the OREGONIAN has no such exclusive contract with the Telegraph Company as is asserted by the *Bulletin*. If the *Bulletin* wants the dispatches why does it not go along and get them, instead of whining about the OREGONIAN'S enterprise in taking a larger amount than heretofore? A few weeks ago one would have supposed from reading the ring organ that it owned half of Oregon and that the OREGONIAN was at the bottom of its purse, and only awaited a convenient moment to die of sheer want. And now the organ of the great monopolist, who has so long boasted that he carried Oregon in his breeches pockets whines about the OREGONIAN'S using the advantages which the vast wealth of its proprietors give it to extend and increase its facilities for furnishing its subscribers with news. That is such a letting down as we were not prepared for.

But how does the outcry of "Monopoly, Monopoly" sound coming from the *Bulletin*? If there were such a monopoly as it represents does it lie in its mouth to complain of it? That paper was founded expressly and solely as the organ of a monopoly and supported with money mercilessly wrung from the people of this country and of Europe. It has been the most unscrupulous advocate of monopoly that ever claimed the support of a reading public. O, but this Portland *Bulletin* has been a conscientious enemy of monopolies hasn't it! When the passengers on the O & C R R asked the newsboy for an OREGONIAN they were politely told that the OREGONIAN *was not allowed to be sold on that road*; the *Bulletin* had that right *exclusively*. During the life of the *Herald* it also was excluded from the cars. And this was by virtue of *a contract between the Bulletin and the railroad company*. Before Mr Koehler took possession of the railway the OREGONIAN paid for its telegraphic reports from the Legislature while the *Bulletin's* reports were sent *gratis over the railway company's telegraph*. O no the ring organ would not countenance a monopoly under any circumstances. Never! But a little while ago the *Bulletin* was boasting that thenceforth that paper would have the publication of all Government advertisements postal lettings, laws etc to the exclusion of the OREGONIAN. This is proof positive that that virtuous journal is above taking the benefits of a monopoly of any kind!

It makes all the difference in the world whose ox is gored, don't it?

And what a pathetic narrative is that of the ring organ about its life long and consistent devotion to the Republican party! Until within about two years it was an avowed independent paper owned by a Democrat of the secesh school and edited by another Democrat. And it is now edited by a gentleman who conducted a Johnson organ during the strife between Andrew Johnson and the Republican Congress. These facts ought we should think to satisfy any person who is inclined to be sceptical in regard to the thorough and inbred Republicanism of the ring paper. But if there are any who still doubt we beg to refer them to the fact announced by the *Bulletin* of yesterday that its negotiations for the dispatches, in San Francisco, are entrusted to that veteran radical Republican, James D. Fay!

And now hear what this life long Republican and doughty champion of the people against monopolies proposes to do about it:

> We here pledge our subscribers and the people of Oregon that we will leave no stone unturned on this part of God's green earth until we do break the bonds of this infamous outrage on a free press.

That sounds first rate. There's a terrible sight of rhetoric in it. But what is the use of turning stones and pawing up "God's green earth" in that way, when nothing is required to break the bonds of this infamous outrage (*bonds of an outrage* is good), except to pay for the dispatches, just as the OREGONIAN does, and give them to the public just as the OREGONIAN does and intends to continue doing?

Good bye, great defender of the people, eternal foe of monopolies life long and unflinching Republican organ of the great money king who carries the people of Oregon in his breeches pockets, paragon of virtue and model of high toned journalism. Good bye!

THE RING PAPER BIDS FOR DEMOCRATIC SUPPORT

Notwithstanding all the crooked goings of the Custom House ring organ of late, we were hardly prepared for what met our gaze on opening that paper yesterday morning. The first thing, at the head of the editorial column, double leaded, was a piteous and pitiful cry for help and especially for Democratic help. To find the Portland *Bulletin* owned by the great railway king, Ben Holladay, and backed by the whole ring of corruptionists who have been able at all times and on the shortest notice to raise a purse of a few thousands to buy votes in the ring interest begging alms at anybody's hands, was scarcely to be expected! but when it holds up its palms and pleads with Democrats for pennies surprise turns to astonishment. But such is the truth. Not only does it implore the Democracy to rally to its support, but in order to convince them of its readiness to return them such feeble assistance as it may be able doubles on its record in the Louisiana matter disavowing and repudiating the action of the military which it but a day before was defending with all its energy and ingenuity. After averring that "the acts of the military were not acts of the Federal Government at all, but were wholly the acts of the State of Louisiana," the ring again proceeds thus:

> By recurring to the history of the troubles the correctness of our position will be apparent. It will be remembered that after the Democrats had seized control of the House of Representatives and elected Wiltz Speaker and seated five persons as members who held no certificates of election the turmoil and excitement was about to be ended in a bloody riot. The Democrats called for the United States soldiers to preserve the peace and the soldiers entered the hall for that purpose. This interference of the federal soldiers was clearly the act of the Democrats—the act of citizens of Louisiana and therefore a State act.
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> Afterwards when the Republicans called on Governor Kellogg to protect them in their rights and he called upon the soldiers to remove the five Democrats who held no certificates of election this was the act of the Republicans the acts of citizens of Louisiana *unsupported and unauthorized* by the President or any other officer of the civil service of the United States and therefore purely a State act. The soldiers were of the United States army, but their acts to preserve the peace and protect the members of the Legislature first on one side and then on the other were clearly chargeable to the State of Louisiana and to its citizens and not to the Federal Government.

It seems almost beyond credence that such language is to be found in the ring organ after its utterances heretofore, but it is true nevertheless. A more complete going back on itself was never seen and all for the sake of giving force to its cry for Democratic support!

It would be some consolation if when the *Bulletin* made up its mind to "about face" on the Louisiana matter, it had possessed the judgment and candor to take the true and legal ground but it failed in this. The idea that because the interference of the military in the organization of the State Legislature was requested by citizens of the State it was therefore an act of the State, is too ridiculous to entertain—too ridiculous for even the ring editor to believe in. Under what law can the army of the United States be turned over to a State and become State Militia at the request of any citizen be he speaker of a House of Representatives or governor? The author of that specimen of shallowness deserves a leather medal. Many's the intelligent Democrat that can be caught with that sort of chaff.

The district court, Judge Jacobs presiding convened at Seattle last Monday.

THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE ON THE TILTON BEECHER CASE

The Chicago *Tribune*, which last summer took the lead of all the principal papers in asserting and maintaining the guilt of Henry Ward Beecher on Theodore Tilton's charges, abates nothing of its severity in that regard under its new management. Mr Medill appears quite as thoroughly satisfied on the point as Mr White and charges that Plymouth Church and congregation are endeavoring to overawe the court and jury with unseemly demonstrations. The *Tribune* says the course of the Beecher party, in thronging the court room and expressing their interest in the case and their sympathy with the great preacher rushing to meet him when he comes in and escorting him out in a body, covering his table in the court room with greenhouse flowers &c is not the course of persons conscious they have nothing to fear from a fair investigation and that it will do more injury than good to the cause it is intended to help. The *Tribune* evidently has some personal feeling in the matter.

We learn from the Puget Sound papers that private telegrams report the appointment of Hon S C Wingard as Associate Justice of Washington Territory Associate Justice Lewis having been designated as Chief Justice. We congratulate the appointee and the people of the Territory.

The four track railway on the New York Central route which was begun only a year and a half ago has proved a great success. The passenger business so increased that fares are greatly reduced, while the safety of travel is promoted.

WINTER ON THE SOUND

EFFECT OF TEMPERATURE ON PIETY—FEMALES VICTIMIZED—ABOUT TO BE RICH—THE COLDEST WINTER—A QUIET COURT—NOT NEW YORK BUT PITTSBURGH

[FROM OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENT.]

NEW TACOMA Jan 27 1875

Fifteen or twenty thousand people on Puget Sound and in British Columbia deprived of their usual mail facilities for more than two weeks are about the most discontented grumbling swearing complaining lot of people that can be found anywhere. The people of Tacoma are noted for their piety and proverbial for their patience but the last freeze up has developed an astonishing amount of latent profanity even some of the straightest laced deacons indulging in remarks that would hardly be considered orthodox under ordinary circumstances.

The rise in the thermometer which I noted in my last letter was a delusion and a snare for expecting the temperature to climb up instead of down even the most prudent housewives neglected to protect house plants and vegetables and throughout the land there is a wail from the too confiding females over ruined plants and frozen spuds. Expecting when we went to bed at night to be compelled to dispense with a portion of the extra blankets which we had been using during the first cold snap we awoke in the morning and concluded that we had been transported in the night to Iowa or Nebraska or some other mild climate, where they drank their stock of whisky up early in the season to keep it from freezing.

The mercury has skirmished all around zero at this place and the skating on the lakes *looked* splendid. I haven't found any one however who knows it from actual experience. No person cared about skating or doing anything that would take them away from the fire more than ten minutes. The favorite and only occupation of the men during the coldest weather seemed to be hugging a hot stove and discussing Congressional aid to the railroad and the coal prospect and cussing the weather and old zero and the mail contractors and carriers the Columbia river and everything that would stand cussin.

Everyone feels particularly anxious just at present to have the mails come regularly as there is a little bill before Congress that we are interested in that we are afraid might pass without our hearing of it for a week or two and we want to feel rich just as soon as possible. Every person here expects in some miraculous way to become suddenly wealthy when that bill passes. Those who have corner lots will *of course* become millionaires at once but there are a good many who don't own corner lots never owned a foot of land in the world and never had money enough to pay two weeks board in advance who expect to make up for their past poverty by leaping at one bound into a fortune. I hope they may.

Two OREGONIANS of last week reached here to night and from them I see that from all parts comes the information that this is the coldest winter that has been experienced in twenty five years. Well that's just what is the matter here only more so. The oldest white inhabitant never saw ice in Tacoma bay before. Indians who look to be ever so many hundred years old say they have paddled their own canoe over the broad waters of Tacoma bay all their lives and found no ice and that they have dug clams every day on its shores since they were tenas tillicums but this winter there was one day that ice two inches in thickness extended nearly one mile from the shore on some portions of the bay and there were a number of days when Lo had to go it on smoked salmon straight on account of the ice accumulated on the shore which prevented the usual daily chase after the lively clam. Olympia harbor was covered with ice a distance of four miles. There was a great deal of ice in Seattle bay, but the water was so rough that the ice didn't have half a chance. Nearly all the mills on the Sound were forced to shut down in consequence of the failure of their water supply.

The district court was in session during the early part of this month in this county and it is a remarkable fact that the grand jury did not find a single indictment and the petit jury were discharged without having been called on to try a single case. The lawyers are all talking of emigrating to Portland. The doctors are starved out—it is so distressingly healthy here—and went there a long time ago.

We have heretofore claimed for Tacoma the designation of "The New York of the Pacific" but we propose to change substituting Pittsburgh for New York. The reason for this change is that we have got coal on the brain. A few months ago some very fine coal was discovered in the valley an article much superior to anything that has been discovered on the coast. A few weeks ago a company was formed by some wealthy Portland capitalists for the purpose it is thought of working the coal in these and other beds which are supposed to exist in the vicinity and building a railroad from Tacoma to the mines. Talking the matter over during the cold snap the entire community got worked up into a coal fever and for the last day or two they have been lighting out for the coal fields by the score. Feeling quite sure that each one of them will discover a large coal mine—especially as there is two or three feet of snow in the country which they propose prospecting which will probably remain on the ground for several weeks yet—and that we will be shipping several thousand tons of coal a day at once and learning from a Siwash that there is a mountain of iron in that vicinity being told by a man *confidentially* the other day that he was going to *look* for lime stone in the valley. I do not see why with this combination of iron coal and lime stone *if we find them* we should not as I hereby do file a caveat for the title of "The Pittsburgh of the Pacific."

Mr B Perkins employed on the steamer *E N Cooke* was badly injured by an explosion of a new instrument which indicates the amount of oil that goes into valves and cylinders the heavy glass that surrounds the instrument being blown to pieces one piece striking him in the abdomen just below the navel and inflicting a ghastly wound. He was taken to the hospital at Salem.

The treasure shipments by Wells, Fargo & Co from Salem during the month of January were $59 188 04.

SUIT AGAINST THE MILWAUKEE AND ST PAUL.—Madison Wis, Jan. 9.—The circuit court for two days has been occupied in trying a suit for damages against the Chicago, Milwaukee & St Paul Railroad Company brought by Jesse Hinckley, a fine old gentleman of Fond du Lac county, who was forcibly ejected from the cars of said company at Waterloo, though he had paid legal fare under the Potter law to Watertown Junction, the case having been sharply commented on by the press at the time. The prosecution was conducted by ex Attorney General Gill. The amount asked was $5 000; the jury awarded $1 000, the company having disavowed the act of its agent, and protested against punitive damages.—*Chicago Tribune*.

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T A DAVIS

H C SCHUYLER

Portland Oregon Feb 1 18

Referring to the above, the undersigned give notice that they have this day formed a copartnership under the firm name of T A DAVIS & CO for the purpose of continuing the business of the late firm of Davis & Schuyler at the old stand No 71 Front street.

T A DAVIS

F K ARNOLD

Portland Oregon Feb 1 18 fe4d6taw2m

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G BRUGGMAN

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46 Window Sills 9 feet 4 inches long 1 foot 10 inches wide

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96 Brackets for window pilasters

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64 Pilaster Caps.

48 Key Stones.

48 Ornaments, in pannels

360 Leaves, for medallions

760 Ornaments on side medallions

This iron must be furnished within the times and made to conform to the plans and specifications of the same as described in the detailed drawing and specifications now to be seen in the office of the Architect W W Piper in Salem.

Said bids must be accompanied by an undertaking with two or more sureties of not less than five per cent of the amount of said bid conditioned that if the contract be awarded to the said bidder he will enter into bonds for the faithful performance of said contract.

The bids received by the Board for said iron will be opened by said Board at their office in Salem on the 27th day of February 1875 at 1 o'clock P M of said day.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids that shall in their judgment not be accompanied with sufficient sureties and also to reject all the bids in case all shall be too high.

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Overhauling.—While the O. S. N. Co.'s [illegible] overhauling them—making slight repairs here and there, wherever work is thought to be necessary. Comparatively speaking, the boats are all in good condition, but it seems to be the ambition of the company to keep all its boats in not only neat, but elegant running trim. The boats receiving Mr. Holland's attention are the Hayward, Onconta, Josie McNear and the little Wenat. When navigation is resumed, all these boats will be in the best possible condition for service.

Weather Report.—From the records of the U. S. Signal Station of Observation, Portland, Oregon, February 2, 1875:

	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.
Thermometer	33°	42°	35°
Wind, direction	S.	N.W.	E.
Wind, velocity	3	3	4
Weather	Cloudy.	Fair.	Cloudy.
Minimum temperature			33°

LOCAL BREVITIES.

No news yet from the steamer Dixie Thompson.

On Thursday the steamer Onward will go down the river.

All the O. S. S. Co.'s boats are running now on the upper Wallamet.

The ship Muriel arrived here last evening from down the river in tow of the tug Ben Holladay.

Puget Sound mails arrived yesterday, but no mail south of Roseburg came in on the evening train.

We have received intelligence of the death of Mr. Daniel McGill, an old and well-known citizen of Sauvie's Island.

General Howard will conduct the meeting at the Congregational church to-night, commencing at 7:30 o'clock.

The British Benevolent Society will hold their regular monthly meeting at the office of Corbitt & Macleay to-morrow evening.

A Chinaman was caught in a back yard, and for his indiscretion a fine of $5 was imposed upon him yesterday in the police court.

Number 12 won the feather wreath at the Occidental Hotel on Saturday night. The holder of that number is wanted to call and get the prize.

The [illegible] Annie Stewart [illegible] in reaching Kalama yesterday. She reports the ice solid at Coffin Rock. This morning the steamer will start down again.

We are in receipt of a complimentary invitation to [illegible] ball to be given at the Opera House, Albany, on the 22d inst. The affair promises to be a grand one.

THE COURTS.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT—DEADY, J.

Tuesday, Feb. 2, 1875.

U. S. vs H. T. Hill et al; order to place cause on docket, and on motion of district attorney, cause dismissed.

In re C. B. Comstock, petition for discharge; leave to file amended objections by Monday next, on payment of $5 costs.

Adjourned to Tuesday next.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT.

Frederick Adams vs Wm. P. Burke et al; argued and submitted.

COUNTY COURT—WOODWARD, J.

John Oderkirk vs Edgar Poppleton; judgment in favor of the defendant.

Oregon Manufacturing Co. vs C. Morrison; judgment in favor of plaintiff.

J. A. Bosowitz vs J. C. Cartwright; judgment in favor of plaintiff.

L. White vs A. B. Gleason; dismissed at plaintiff's cost.

PROBATE.

In the matter of the estate of Daniel Waltman, deceased; final account of administrator approved.

In the matter of the guardianship of J. C. Van R[illegible]; annual report of guardian submitted and approved.

EAST OF THE MOUNTAINS.

The following was the state of the weather last evening east of the mountains at 6:30 o'clock:

Dalles—Cloudy; thermometer 22°.
Walla Walla—Cloudy; thermometer 19°.
Wallula—Weather clear; thermometer 16°.
Umatilla—Clear; thermometer 17°.
[illegible]—Weather clear; thermometer 29°.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

National—John Cambling, J J Fowler, P Beal, J Beal, Glencoe; William Reeves, Isaac Butler, Hillsboro; D M Guthrie, Dallas; J H Graham, A J Bell, Graham's ferry; Wm P Rees, St Helens; W H Morris, Salem; A Stump, Sauvie's Isl; J C Woods, Pekin, W T; Thos Otchin, Hillsboro; E Hartill, W Union; G Hathiway, Beaverton; M T Eddy, Tualitin; W N Snider, Bethel; E B Harris, Webfoot [illegible]; O Abernethy, Champoeg; Wm N Parrish, Chehalem; Wm Mauzy, West Union.

Clarendon—Wm Sullivan, Roseburg; E W Irwin, Salem; Lee Laughlin, N Yamhill; Gus Martin, St Jo; Geo Murphy, Ed Sikes, S F; J Welch, F O McCown, Or City; M S Powell, R W De[illegible], Olympia.

SUPREME COURT.

Salem, Monday, Feb. 1, 1875.

Samuel A. Howe, appellant, vs Thomas and Francis E. Patterson, respondents; appeal from Columbia county. Decree of the court below affirmed; opinion by Prim, J.

S. H. Humphreys, executor, appellant, vs L. I. Taylor, respondent; appeal from Washington county. Judgment in the court below affirmed; opinion by Burnett, J.

City of Portland, respondent, vs Charles T. Kamm, appellant; appeal from Multnomah county. Judgment below reversed and new trial ordered; opinion by Bonham, C. J.

Caroline Huffman, respondent, vs Samuel Huffman, appellant; appeal from Union county. Argued and submitted.

Newell Burwell, respondent, vs J. M. Swift, appellant; appeal from Baker county. Argued and submitted.

D. A. Richards, respondent, vs O. O. Fanning; appeal from Union county. Appellant allowed until to-morrow morning to file a motion for diminution of the record.

Adjourned until 1:30 P. M. Tuesday.

George Smith while working in a coal mine near Scholme, last week, was badly injured by the unexpected ignition of gases.

The crowd continues to meander towards Fabre & Barnes' coffee stand, Central Market.

The winter is fairly upon us. We must keep warm no matter what the cost. Don't go about like a frozen man, but straighten up and boldly enter the establishment of BECK & WALDMAN, and ask them to show you their heavy winter goods. They'll do it, and what's more, will not astonish you with big prices because of the cold weather. On the contrary, they propose to make their patrons happy by clothing them well, and at the same time charging a low price to suit the present times. Don't wait until it is too late, but go now.

If you would keep warm buy yourself a big Overcoat, Gloves, and last but not least, good Underclothing, all of which KOHN, opposite the National Bank, keeps in large quantities. You can be suited without a doubt. In addition to the above he has a fine assortment of Dress Suits, Furnishing Goods. The prices are down—like the thermometer is just now. Don't wait until the winter is over and be in misery, but buy now while the prices are down.

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COMMON COUNCIL.

[SPECIAL MEETING, FEB. 2, 1875.]

The Common Council of the city of Portland met pursuant to call of the Mayor, Hon. H. Failing, Mayor, presiding.

Present—W. S. Caldwell, clerk; J. H. Lappeus, Chief of Police; Councilmen Bosser, Catlin, Corbett, Hoyt, Lyon, Moreland, Story and Thompson.

Absent—Councilman Russell.

MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR.

The following communication from his honor the Mayor was read and placed on file:

To the Honorable the Common Council:

In my annual communication to your body dated in June last, I submitted a condensed statement of the city finances, but at that date estimates were necessarily confined to the remainder of the fiscal year, and I contented myself with expressing an opinion that in future taxation should not exceed seven and one-half (7½) mills, based upon last year's assessment, yielding say $65,000 revenue from that source.

This estimate was received by some with incredulity and thought to be wide of the mark, and in view of the levy for the current year, I now beg to submit a statement of the expenses for the past year, which will show that the estimate was not only sufficiently large, but beyond the requirements for the ordinary expenses of the city government. The statement would have been submitted at the last meeting of the Council had not illness prevented.

On the 1st January, 1874, the floating debt of the city amounted to $27,877 51, or the equivalent of 3 mills tax upon all real and personal property, which the Council wisely provided for in the tax levy for 1874.

The revenue from taxes in 1874 (tax of 10½ mills on $9,181,055) netted	$91,214 33
Collected from delinquent tax, 1873	362 00
	$91,576 33
Floating debt Jan. 1, 1874	27,877 51
Paid therefrom	$63,698 82
Floating debt, less cash in treasury, January 1, 1875	266 09
Expenditures for the year 1874, realized from taxation	63,964 91

It will be seen that the debt, at the commencement of the present year, was merely nominal; and that throughout the year the treasury has been in condition to meet promptly all outstanding warrants.

I anticipated this condition of affairs in my message of June last; but it is but justice to add that the following items, not estimated for at the commencement of the year, have been expended during the past six months:

Purchase of lot	$ 3,000 00
Rebuilding of engine-house	8,364 50
Purchase of hose	1,850 00
	$13,214 50

The city has been enabled to pay for the above items, in addition to the expenses estimated for, in part by reduction of police force, salaries of officers, and a reduction of expenses in city surveyor's office of nearly $200 per month. The reduction of expenses is, however, largely due to the attention which the standing committees have given to the expenditures of appropriations which are necessarily left to the discretion of such committees in small sums. This industry and attention has been very marked in the cases of the committees on streets and public property and on fire and water, through whose recommendations the greater part of appropriations of this class are made.

I congratulate the members of the Council upon the success with which they have administered the affairs of the city especially during the past six months, and upon the fact that for the first time for several years, no deficiency is to be provided for, and taxation can be reduced to the sum necessary for the ordinary expenses of the current year.

The assessment roll for the present year is eight hundred thousand dollars ($800,000) less than for the year past, and the income from licenses will no doubt be lessened, but with the reductions which have been made in current expenses, it is believed that notwithstanding the reduced assessment, that the percentage of taxation estimated in my communication of June last will be ample if it will not exceed the requirements for the current year.

Our principal streets are now badly out of repair, and in consequence numbers of our tax-payers will be subjected to heavy street assessments.

I hope therefore that in levying a tax the Council will restrict the estimated expenditure to the ordinary expenses of the city government, providing amply for the equipment of the fire department according to the recommendations now before the Council, and better supply of water in localities not now provided with cisterns, and postpone all outlay for purposes which are not urgent, until a more propitious time. In this way I believe that a levy of seven mills for the current year, estimating $55,000 from that source, will be found ample, together with the revenue from licenses and fees in police court.

I recommend that the Council take the preliminary steps at an early day for repaving or planking Front and First streets where necessary, so that ample time may be had to give the required notice to property-holders, and yet commence the work as early in the spring as possible.

I again call your attention to the amount now lying idle in the city treasury, applicable to the erection of a fire alarm telegraph.

I desire to express my acknowledgements to the members of the Council for the industry and attention which they have given to the city's affairs, and for the support they have given me in efforts to reduce as far as possible the burdens of taxation.

HENRY FAILING.

Portland, Feb. 2, 1875.

PETITIONS.

A petition was read from the Portland Wood and Coal Company, asking for the use of a portion of South Fourth street, and also in front of block 19 in Couch's Addition, and asking for permission to lay corduroy roads for temporary use. Referred to the committee on streets and public property with authority to act.

From J. B. Miller and others, asking for the erection of lamps at the corners of Yamhill, Ninth and Eleventh streets. Referred to the committee on streets and public property.

From Arthur Fahie, asking permission to use the northern wall of Multnomah Co. No. 2's new building for five years. Referred to the committee on judiciary.

From A. G. Hammond and others, asking that the limits of the Hebrew Cemetery, at the southern end of the city, be not enlarged, and that further interments be prohibited. Referred to the committee on health and police.

REPORTS.

From the committee on ways and means, to whom was referred the petition of L. H. Wakefield, asking for a reduction of assessment. The committee recommended that a reduction of petitioner's assessment be made to the amount of $15,000. Report adopted.

The committee on ways and means submitted the following report, which was adopted:

To the Honorable, the Common Council: Your committee on ways and means have had under consideration the estimated expense of the several departments of the city government for the year 1875, and the various sources of revenue to meet the same, and respectfully beg leave to report:

The estimated expenses, including liabilities for expenses incurred prior to Jan. 1875, are:

General fund	$30,283 52
Fire department	20,337 21
Interest on bonded debt	7,650 00
Police	15,180 00
Street lamps	12,466 20
Total	$85,936 93

We estimate the revenues for the year to meet the foregoing expenditures to be as follows:

In treasury	$ 3,862 06
From licenses, fines and fees in police court and other sources	23,800 00
Special tax 2½ mills for fire department	19,400 00
General tax, including police, interest and lamps, 5 mills	39,000 00
Total	$86,162 06

And herewith present ordinances providing for the levy of said taxes.

Your committee have also had under consideration the assessment roll returned by the assessor, Dec. 1, 1874, and as revised and corrected we recommend its adoption.

GEO. L. STORY,
J. H. LYON,
E. CORBETT,
Committee on Ways and Means.

The committee on fire and water, to whom was referred the petition of Protection Engine Co. No. 4, asking for the [illegible], [illegible] they had ascertained that one carriage could be manufactured for the sum of $800, and two for $1,400. Adopted.

The committee on judiciary submitted the following report, which was on motion filed:

To the Mayor and Common Council: The committee on judiciary having had the ordinance authorizing the introduction of water and the use of streets for laying pipes under consideration, beg leave to report:

That while your committee are favorable to the objects proposed by the ordinance, and would gladly favor any proper measure to reach that end, believe that the present ordinance is too indefinite as to the time and manner of carrying out the work proposed. We therefore recommend that the ordinance do not pass. Respectfully

J. C. MORELAND,
R. R. THOMPSON.

From the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred the claim of R. A. Habersham, recommended that the claim be disallowed. Report adopted.

From the same committee, in relation to the claim of J. H. Lappeus for board of prisoners, the committee recommended that the same be referred to Mr. Lappeus for correction. Report filed.

The following communication was received from William Strong, and, on motion, referred to the judiciary committee:

Portland, Feb. 2, 1875.

To the Honorable the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Portland: Gentlemen—The case of the Oregon and California Railroad Company against J. H. Lappeus, City Marshal, to enjoin the collection of the city tax upon the property of the Company, has been virtually decided in favor of the city, by the Hon. W. W. Thayer, to whom it had been referred. His decision will soon be reported to the Circuit court, and will come up for confirmation or otherwise, at the term of the court to commence on Monday next.

Believing that the principles upon which the referee will, as I am advised, base his opinion, are sound, I cannot doubt but that his report will be affirmed.

Unfortunately, for the settlement of the most important question of difference between the railroad company and the city, the point, whether the rolling stock of the Company is taxable in this city, though fully argued, was not decided—the case going off upon other points, important indeed, but leaving the main question still unsettled.

Anticipating that this might be the case, I was anxious that the bill of review taken by the railroad company, to the action of the Common Council on the 11th day of February, 1874, upon the assessment of the company's tax for the year 1874 should be first tried. In this case the main question is primarily presented and must be decided. Though consulted by the City Assessor at the time the assessment for the year 1873-4 was made, to whom I gave some advice as to the property belonging to the company, taxable in the city, yet, as the resolution of the Council under which I was employed, embraced only the first suit, which was the only one then commenced, I did not consider myself retained in this last case and no agency of mine could advance the trial.

In a former communication I expressed the opinion that the right of this city to tax the rolling stock of the company was unquestionable, and this opinion is strengthened and confirmed by the thorough investigation made in the trial of the first case.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

WM. STRONG.

Councilman Thompson stated, for the information of the Council, that the committee on streets and public property had entered into a contract with the Portland Gaslight Company for supplying the city with gas. The contract is for the period of two years, and went into effect on the 1st of January, 1875.

The Auditor informed the Council that, in compliance with instructions received, he had negotiated a loan of $2,500 from the First National Bank at the rate of ten per cent. per annum.

CLAIMS.

The following claims against the city were read and ordered paid: Oregonian, $49 55; H. W. Corbett, $20; J. H. Butler, $1; Holman & Co., $1; George Tuttle, $1; Northrup & Thompson, $7 77; W. Zimmerman, $3; John Barrett, $32 25; D. W. Taylor, $150; W. T. Besser, $12; J. J. Robinson, $283 06.

ORDINANCES.

An ordinance, introduced by the committee on streets and public property, making an appropriation out of the street lamp fund, was read first, second and third times, and passed.

An ordinance, from the committee on fire and water, making an appropriation out of the fire department fund, was read first and second times, and laid over.

An ordinance from the committee on health and police, making an appropriation of $6,810 out of the police fund, was read three times and passed.

An ordinance from the committee on ways and means, levying a special tax of 2½ mills to defray the expenses of Portland Fire Department for the fiscal year, was read three times and passed.

From the committee on ways and means, levying a tax of 5 mills for general municipal purposes. Read first, second and third time and passed.

From the committee on streets and public property, providing for the time and manner of improving Montgomery street, between Sixth and Seventh, was read three times and passed.

From the same committee, providing for the time and manner of improving the east half of Front street, between Morrison and Yamhill. Read three times and passed.

ESTIMATES.

The committee on ways and means reported an ordinance making an appropriation out of the general fund for the payment of salaries and current expenses:

The following sums are appropriated out of the general fund to the several objects hereinafter named, to be expended under the provisions of ordinances No. 1,414 and 1,434, or in such other manner as the Common Council may by ordinance provide, viz: For salaries of officers—Police judge, $1,800; city attorney, $1,200; city treasurer, $1,200; auditor and clerk, $2,100; superintendent of streets, $1,500; surveyor, $1,800; for chain-bearers and other assistants to the city surveyor, and incidental expenses of the street department, $1,200. Street monuments, boxes and covers, $50; improvements of streets in front of public property, $600; grading, setting out trees, repairs and improvements to the public property and the removal of nuisances, $250; purchase of property adjacent to B street, as provided by ordinance No. 1,500, $927 50; completion of work and in about engine house No. 2, $850; expense of the police building, including light, fuel, furniture, repairs and incidentals, $900; board of prisoners in city jail, $2,500; killing and burying dogs, $500; prevention and suppression of infectious and contagious diseases, $500; expenses of council room and offices adjacent, including rent, light, fuel, furniture, repairs, etc., $1,700; stationery and printing, $700; advertising, $400; clerk hire, $200; postage charges and miscellaneous expenses, not otherwise provided for, $100; expense of election, $00; for salute July 4th, $150; expense of litigation, payment of witnesses, costs and additional counsel, $500; city assessor, $1,000.

AUTHORIZATIONS.

The following authorizations were made: The committee on fire and water are authorized to make an expenditure not exceeding $15 to lay a box drain under the engine house of Multnomah Co. No. 2. The same committee is authorized to expend a sum not to exceed $20, in purchasing torches, and bell ringing apparatus for Protection Co. No. 4.

On motion the Council adjourned.

The Transcript says: "Since some barley and oats from Puget Sound were recently received at San Francisco, the dealers have been making diligent inquiry for more of the same sort. The captain of the ship Germania reports that great surprise was expressed there at the quality of the grain, as they had always supposed that the Puget Sound basin afforded nothing but lumber, coal and clams. The demand being established for our oats for manufacturing into oat-meal, our farmers may expect a continuance of the same and should be prepared to supply it."

RAILROADS.

Oregon & California R. R. Co
[illegible]
To Take E[illegible] Sunday, Aug. 2[illegible], at 6 A. M.
DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAY),
As follows:

PORTLAND AND ROSEBURG
LEAVE. ARRIVE.
Portland.......7:30 A. M. | Roseburg..........7:30 P. M.
Roseburg......5:00 A. M. | Portland...........4:15 P. M.

ALBANY EXPRESS TRAIN.
DAILY, (EXCEPT SUNDAYS)
As follows:
LEAVE. ARRIVE.
Portland..........3:50 P. M. | Albany..........8:15 P. M.
Albany...........5:30 A. M. | Portland........10:00 A. M.

FREIGHT TRAINS
DAILY, (EXCEPT SUNDAYS) AS FOLLOWS
LEAVE. ARRIVE.
Portland..........6:15 A. M. | Junction..........6:00 P. M.
Junction..........5:45 A. M. | Portland..........6:15 P. M.

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Close connections are made at ROSEBURG with the Stages of the Oregon and California Stage Company.
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PORTLAND.
Storage will be charged on freight remaining in Warehouse over 24 hours.
Freight will not be received for shipment after 4 o'clock P. M.
J. BRANDT, Jr., Gen'l Sup't.
E. P. ROGERS,
Gen'l Freight and P[illegible] Agent

The Oregon Central R. R. Co.,
[illegible]
To take [illegible] Monday, November 23, 1874, at 6 A. M.
Daily Trains will run between
PORTLAND AND ST. JOSEPH
AS FOLLOWS:
LEAVE. ARRIVE.
Portland.........2:00 P. M. | St. Joseph.........4:00 P. M.
St. Joseph........7:00 A. M. | Portland.........11:00 A. M.
Connecting at Cornelius with Stages for Forest Grove: at St. Joseph for all points South and West—Lafayette, McMinnville, Amity, Monmouth, Independence, Buena Vista and Corvallis.
[illegible] received at Fourth [illegible] on giving signal to the train, but are prohibited from getting on or off the train at any other point on the street.
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On and after Sunday, August 16, there will be no trains run on Sundays.
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J. BRANDT, Jr.

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PACIFIC DIVISION.
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KALAMA TO TACOMA.
DAILY, (SUNDAYS EXCEPTED.)
LEAVE. ARRIVE.
Kalama..........11:20 A. M. | Tacoma..........[illegible] P. M.
Tacoma..........6:30 A. M. | Kalama..........[illegible] P. M.
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At Tacoma with [illegible] for all points on Puget Sound daily, and on Wednesdays and [illegible] with Steamers for Victoria and [illegible]

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ROUND [illegible], $[illegible]
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This route [illegible] tourists and [illegible] the [illegible] comfortable trips on the Pacific [illegible]
Tickets for sale at the office of the O. S. N. Co., Portland, Or.
J. W. SPRAGUE, [illegible]
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J. McCRAKEN.
Portland, Jan. 13, 1875. ja14 1m

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OF PORTLAND.
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President.......... HENRY FAILING.
Cashier.......... JAMES [illegible]
DRAFTS [illegible] IN COIN OR [illegible]
INTEREST ALLOWED on [illegible]
SIGHT EXCHANGE AND [illegible] payable in Coin or Currency, for sale on NEW YORK, SAN FRANCISCO, CHICAGO, ST. LOUIS.
[illegible] DAY [illegible] on
LONDON, PARIS,
BERLIN, FRANKFORT-ON-MAIN.

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BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.
[illegible] by Royal [illegible]
Paid up Capital $1,502,[illegible]
[illegible] TO INCREASE TO
$10,000 000.
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BRANCH[illegible]
In Vi[illegible]
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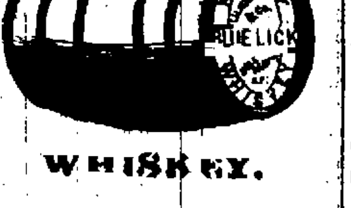

WHISKEY.
HAVING BEEN APPOINTED SOLE AGENT for the above celebrated brand of Kentucky Whisky, I am in receipt of an invoice of the [illegible] in barrels, half barrels and [illegible], which I am prepared to offer to the trade, at jobbing [illegible]
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PRISONER ESCAPED.

J. D. BROWN ESCAPED FROM THE PENItentiary on the night of Jan. 28. Is five feet four inches high, had on No. 5 shoes, twenty-five years old, dark brown hair, hazel eyes, dark complexioned, powder burned under right eye, rather full face, thin beard, may be tattooed on right forearm. TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS REWARD is offered for his arrest and delivery here.

W. H. WATKINDS.

Salem, Jan 29, 1875.

Treasurer's Notice.

TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Salem, Jan. 29, 1875.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE IS money in the Treasury applicable to the payment of the following warrants drawn on the Treasury since the 14th day of September, 1874, to-wit: Nos. 292, 293, 373, 374, 381, 386, 391, 395, 404. 405, 394. 397, 403, 407, 408, 416, 431, 386, 433, 477, 478, 450, 487, 488, 469, 451, 452, 457, 459, 461, 493, 492, 491, 490, 448, 496, 497, 498, 499, 506, 449, 509, 511, 512, 514, 515, 516, 517, 520, 521, 522, 523, 525, 529, 530, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 544, 542, 543, 546, 548, 549, 551, 552, 566, 567, 582, 399. Interest on the above warrants will not be allowed after this date.

A. H. BROWN.
State Treasurer.

Jan. 29d4w

TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Salem, January 21, 1875.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE are funds now on hand in the Treasury applicable to the payment of warrants drawn on the Treasurer since the 14th day of September, A. D. 1874, to-wit: Nos. 96, 244, 245, 254, 265, 266, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 238, 254, 255, 226, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 268, 270, 280, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 282, 290, 291, 218, 303, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 320, 321, 322, 304, 305, 323, 325, 327, 379, 328, 331, 336, 337, 338, 339, 334, 343, 335, 346, 348, 351, 352, 368, 354, 356, 361, 340, 366.

Interest will not be allowed after this date.

A. H. BROWN, State Treasurer.

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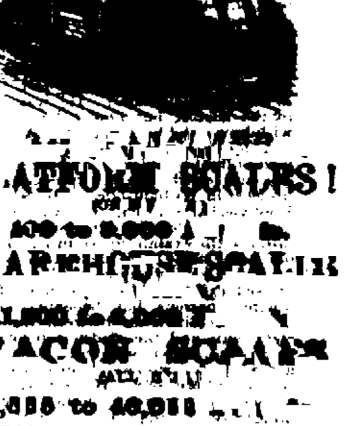

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The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, FEB. 3, 1875.

THE TILTON-BEECHER CASE—CHARACTERISTICS OF THE JURY.

[From the N. Y. Tribune.]

[illegible] the many jurors called, the examinations of the twelve accepted jurymen were the least protracted and apparently the least cautious and thorough. More time was devoted by counsel to the taking of testimony for the purpose of excluding Andrew Mackey and Louis H. Robinson than by the inquiry into the disposition and state of mind of all the jurors who entered the box as the jury to try the case.

The names and addresses of these twelve jurymen are as follows: Griffin B. Halstead, No. 340 Pacific street; Henry Tover, No. 76 Noble street; George Hull, No. 102 Devoe street; Christopher Fitter, No. 527 Park avenue; Samuel Flate, No. 224 Ryerson street; A. R. Case, No. 482 North Second street; Edward Whelan, No. 558 Franklin avenue; William H. Davis, No. 662 DeKalb avenue; John F. Taylor, No. 56 Boerum street; William T. Jeffrey, No. 156 Elliot place; Chester Carpenter, No. 360 Van Buren street; John McMurn, No. 90 Roch[illegible] avenue.

Halstead, the first juror, is a gentleman of dark complexion, with black hair and beard. He is very precise in his manner, and evidently of a phlegmatic temperament. He is a hard-[illegible] and belongs to the Methodist Church. In his examination it was developed that he had [illegible] all the documents issued by the parties to the controversy, and he candidly admitted that each of these had made an impression on him, but these were only momentary [illegible], and did not amount to convictions. He said he looked upon all of them as *ex parte*. He was accepted by Beecher's counsel [illegible] the examination by the plaintiff's counsel [illegible] satisfactory to them.

Henry Taylor, the second [illegible], is an old mechanic, thin and spare, and with an indifferent [illegible] tired look and manner. He is an iron-finisher, in the employ of John H. [illegible]. He admitted on his examination that he was a man of very little reading, who took very little interest in the controversy; very little interest in public [illegible]; and the evidence which is to be produced [illegible] will be almost entirely new to him. He was not apparently a thoroughly intelligent man, though evidently so fair and of such strong common sense that Beecher's attorneys accepted him without a challenge.

George Hull, the third juror, underwent a very brief examination. He is a man inclined to corpulency, and of dark complexion. He [illegible], and a member of the Baptist Church. He stated in his examination that he [illegible] many of the statements made by various [illegible] to the scandal, and had [illegible] from time to time as he read, [illegible] no fixed opinions. He was accepted by the counsel for Beecher [illegible].

Christopher Fitter, the fourth juror, is the exact opposite of the third juror in personal appearance [illegible], and of light complexion. He is a German by birth, but has been naturalized twenty years. He is engaged in the [illegible] wood [illegible] the examination that he read both sides, and as he could [illegible] not know which to [illegible] that he didn't believe either fully. He was examined by Beecher's counsel [illegible] able length, but it was stated [illegible] was intimated simply to [illegible] he might be examined further th[illegible] and plaintiff had done, and finally the challenge against him was withdrawn, [illegible] mutually accepted.

[illegible], is a young [illegible], but with a manner [illegible]. He has a light [illegible] on the [illegible] controversy [illegible] he had [illegible] lost all interest [illegible]. He was challenged by the d[illegible] but finally the challenge was w[illegible] by both sides.

[illegible], is a small [illegible]. He is a [illegible]. He belongs to the [illegible]. He was very clear in [illegible] state of mind to the ex[illegible]. He said he [illegible] had [illegible] had ex[illegible] a number of times [illegible] there would [illegible] published [illegible] as had [illegible] a careful man, who weighs evidence and drugs with equal [illegible]. He declined on the ex[illegible] he fully [illegible], and his answers were as carefully and, indeed, as cautiously [illegible]. He was challenged by the [illegible], but only to make further inquiries as to his personal relations, etc., and [illegible] by Evarts.

Edward Wheelan, the seventh juror, is a [illegible] of somewhat [illegible]. He is a Catholic in his religious belief, and a builder by trade. His examination [illegible] only the fact that he was wholly indifferent to the issue of the [illegible], and rather disinterested in the story of [illegible] been impressed by Tilton's statement, but he had subsequently [illegible] the statement by Beecher, and that had [illegible] the impression left by the first. He was [illegible] challenged by the [illegible].

William H. Davis, the eighth juror, is an Englishman by birth, but has been [illegible] and portly, very dark in complexion, and positive and de[illegible]. He belongs to no religious den[illegible], but attends the Episco[illegible] at all. He stated on the examination that he had read the scandal statements [illegible] he had lost all interest in the subject. [illegible] subsequently that [illegible] had chiefly withdrawn his [illegible]. He was challenged by the defense, but the judge decided he was competent to sit [illegible] to take his [illegible]. This was the first to whom the defense offered any sort of objection, and this objection [illegible] to be negative rather than positive.

John F. Taylor, the ninth juror, is a mer[illegible] and manufacturer of corks. He belongs to no religious denomination, and seldom at[illegible]. He [illegible] largely of the scandal literature, and had had opinions [illegible]; but these had yielded to further reading, and the more [illegible] to become, and finally he was left without accurate or distinct opinions. He admitted that he had had [illegible] not [illegible] when [illegible] opinions were changed by the next statement which appeared. Notwithstanding these evidences of [illegible] temperament in Taylor, he was accepted by the counsel for the defense without challenge.

W. T. Jeffrey, the tenth juror, is a short, compactly built man of very firm and demure [illegible] himself as a flour broker in business and an Episcopalian in faith. It was developed upon the examination that he had formed an opinion, which subsequently yielded to evidence. He had [illegible] the matter very frequently, and had always been on one side—which side did not appear. His opinions and impressions were weaker now, although he acknowledged he had expressed an opinion within the last month. He was challenged by the defense, more particularly with regard to his acquaintance with Moulton; but it appearing that he only knew Moulton by sight, the juror was accepted.

Chester Carpenter, the eleventh juror, announced himself to be a Presbyterian, and admitted that he had formed at one time a deliberate impression, which he had got rid of by reading. His mind had been changed by [illegible] one of Beecher's sermons on theaters and Sabbath amusements. It was brought out that in his present state of mind he held that Beecher was innocent until he was proved guilty, and that this was to be proved only by evidence such as he had not read or heard. He was accepted by the defense without challenging.

John McMurn, the twelfth juror, a grocer, was developed by the examination to be an Irish gentleman, who had read very little relative to the controversy, had formed no opinion upon it, and was utterly indifferent to the issue.

The Alden Works of Salem have tested the value of the process by working up 1,500 bushels of apples and pears, mostly the former, and are now engaged packing the fruit and preparing it for sale. It is claimed that the success of the enterprise is unquestionable.

[illegible] AND COMMERCE.

[illegible]

TUESDAY EVENING, February 2, 1875.

Gold in New York, 113¼.

Legal Tenders in Portland—buying, 88¾; selling 89.

Legal tenders in San Francisco, 89¼ buying, 89½ selling.

Sight exchange on San Francisco, coin ⅜ ℔c discount: currency ½ of 1 per cent. prem.

Sight exchange on New York, coin ¾ of one per cent, [illegible], and currency ½ of one per cent.

Price of Sterling exchange in New York, $4 84½@4 88.

Gold bars, 725@730.

Average California wheat ex warehouse is quoted by latest telegrams from Liverpool, at 46s 3d per quarter; Oregon ditto 46s 8d. Oregon cargoes for prompt shipment are quotable in Liverpool at 48s per quarter; ditto in Cork 41s. The European markets are all reported dull, and cargoes for shipment find slow sale.

The dullness in financial circles heretofore noticed continues without much interruption, though occasional transactions are occurring mostly in response to inquiries of those who contemplate the establishment of new enterprises, or the inauguration of local improvements. The call from grain dealers is not large in volume, or frequent, owing to a sort of dead lock that exists both in the wheat and tonnage markets.

Trade circles are rather more active to-day than they have been before at any time since the closing of the river by ice, as an opportunity is now afforded to ship to Puget Sound by rail from Kalama, the river being open to that point, and the boats will be running from thence to-morrow. The ice embargo still holding on the Columbia at a point below the mouth of the Cowlitz, there is a very considerable amount of merchandise waiting at Astoria for our [illegible], whose stocks in some lines of goods are becoming somewhat depleted. In a short time we expect, however, that before many days we will be able to record the arrival at our wharves of a number of the grain fleet, several coasters from San Francisco, and the Falkinburg and Mattie Macleay from Honolulu, bringing a very large quantity of goods and receiving cargoes of the produce now accumulating in the warehouses and on the [illegible].

Wheat and Tonnage.

Advices from abroad to-day put no new aspect upon the produce market. Wheat is being occasionally offered, but in this cereal there is apparently a dead lock between holders and shippers, just as there is between exporters and shippers in regard to [illegible]. A wide margin in demands and offers, holders of wheat asking $1 45@1 50 ℔ cental for wheat, and exporters offering $1 35@1 37½, ship-owners asking 65s@70s ℔ ton for [illegible], and no offers being made as far as we can learn. This state of things in wheat is likely to continue until the cargoes now at hand are got off, and vessels under charter are at hand and must be loaded or receive demurrage. The grain and flour now in the hands of exporters ready and awaiting shipment is larger in amount than at any time before during the season, though, perhaps, not sufficient to load the several ships which are fully due, and several of which are in the river.

Shipping Intelligence.

It is expected that the Orifiamme will leave San Francisco for Portland to-morrow.

The bark Muriel arrived in port this evening at a late hour, and will discharge the remainder of her ballast and begin to take on cargo at once. She will be loaded by the Salem flouring mills.

The British ship Euterpe, under charter to load wheat for Europe for the Oregon State Grange, arrived at Astoria last Saturday. She will load at that point.

The British ship Lizzie C. Troop, now at Astoria, will be loaded by J. McCraken & Co., who have her cargo at hand, most of it being already on barges which will go down the river immediately on its opening.

The Jane A. Falkinburg, now at Astoria, consigned to Allen & Lewis, brings 2,316 kegs sugar, [illegible] and 50 tons salt.

[illegible] ship S[illegible] arrived at Astoria on Saturday last.

[illegible] now ten [illegible] ships at [illegible] this side.

[illegible] [BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2—Arrived—Bark Nicholas Biddle, [illegible] Newbern, Colorado river and Mexican ports; [illegible] Tahiti.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2—Sailed—Bark Oregon, Seabeck; [illegible], Coos Bay; U. S. steamer Pensacola, Honolulu.

[illegible]

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2.—Flour—Extra, $5@5 87½. Wheat—Choice milling, $1 57½; fair shipping, $1 60.

Barley—Bay feed $1 50; extremes, $1 45a1 70.

Oats—$1 50a1 80 for fair to choice feed.

Hay—$10@17.

Potatoes—$1 75a1 90.

C[illegible]—Choice yellow, $1 50; fine do, $1 47½.

Onions—Fine, $1 25a1 30; Union City, $1 50.

San Francisco Stock Market.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2.—Ophir 128, Mexican 39½, G & C 23½, B & B 57, Savage 115, Chollar 70, H & N 47½, C Point 34½, Jacket 103, Imperial 13, Empire Mill 8½, Kentuck 16½, G H Quartz 3½, Alpha 18½, Belcher 43, Confidence 23, Con Virginia 515, S Nevada 15, Daney 2, California 76, Justice 140, Exchequer 210, Seg Belcher 120, Overman 69, Lady Bryan 4½, Julia 6, Succor 4½, Union Con 11½, Caledonia 21½, Knickerbocker 4½, Baltimore 7½, Bullion 41½, Bacon 6½, Utah 5½, Silver Hill 10½, Challenge 6½, Dayton 4, Rock Island 4, New York 3½, Occidental 4½.

EVENING BOARD.—Valley 6½, Raymond 27, Eureka Con. 15½, W. & C. 80c, American Flag 2½, Belmont 7½, Newark 75c, Rye Patch 3½, Eldorado S. 1½, Cherry Creek 1, Chariot 2½, Elmore [illegible], O. H[illegible], Treasure 3, Senator 1, Phil Sheridan 2, American Flat 7, Mint 50c, Woodville [illegible], [illegible] 6, South Chariot 75, [illegible] Washington [illegible], [illegible]uth 3½, O. G. Hill 2½, Seg. R. Island 1½, [illegible]tle 1½, C. P. Devins [illegible], Leo 1½, Andes 5½, Wells, Fargo [illegible], North Comm[illegible] 4½, Niagara 1½, Cosmopolitan 75c, Levi [illegible] 1½, Flowery 3, South Justice 5½.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS.—Trade is quiet and prices [illegible] at current quotations [illegible] 145; Bain, 3-[illegible] 160; Pacific do, $1 [illegible] in full supply.

BAGS AND BAGGING—Burlap, standard, 12½@13c; Flour, sacks, 9½@10c; [illegible] 15a15½c; Grain, 10½ [illegible] 14a15c; 28x28, 15a16c; [illegible] 3½ lbs, 40x90, 60a65; Burlaps, 40 inch 10, 10½, 11, 11½ and 12 oz, 10a13c; Seaming Twine, 3 ply, flax 40a45c; Roping, 3 ply, flax and jute, 40a45; 4-4 Dutch Carpeting and Matting, 25c; Table Baizes, 10-yard lengths, wood and bronze patterns, 66 per piece.

BOOTS AND SHOES—Stocks on hand embrace full assortment; trade light, yet an active call for the favorite brands, like the Cordova kip and the genuine Webfoot boots; for Ladies', Misses' and Childrens' wear the Button Boots take the lead. We quote Webfoot 2-sole kip boots, $51@54; Granger ½ do kip boots, $45@48; Mohawk Standing boots, $37 50@39; Calf Dress boots, do do, $57@60; Boys' Kip Cordova boots, $30; Boys' Split do, $24; 11 Rubber do, $44@57; Knee, $48@51.

BROOMS—The jobbing prices are firm at $4@$5 pr dz. for common and $4 [illegible] for best to extra best.

BUILDING MATERIALS—Mill prices delivered in the city are, Fir lumber, rough, $12 per M; edged, $14; surface sheathing, $16, siding, $20; rustic, $25; flooring, $22 50; roofing, $17 50; seasoned flooring, $25; one side planed, $20; four sides planed, $25; side-walk and wharf flooring, $11; Laths, $3; Pickets, 1¼ inch lineal per 100, 75c; Lattice, 75c per 100; Shingles, $2 50@$3 per M.

CANNED GOODS—Oysters, $2 25@$2 75; Jams and Jellies, $4 00; Los Angeles Honey, $4 00; Strawberries, $4 00; Rasberries, $4 25; Blackberries, $4 00; Pine Apple, $3 50; Green Gage, $3 75@$4; Peaches, $4 00@$4 25; Pie fruit, $3@$3 50; Green Peas, $1 50; Green Beans, $3 50; Lobsters, $3 50@$3 75; Clams, $4; Green Corn, $4 00@$4 25; Tomatoes, $2 00; Quinces, $5.

CEMENT, &c.—New Jersey, $6; Calcine Plaster, $5; Land Plaster, $2 50; Santa Cruz Lime, $2 50, San Juan Lime, $2 30; English Portland Cement, $6 75; Hoffman's New York Cement, $5.

COFFEE—Market well sustained at the following jobbing prices: Costa Rica, 25; Guatemala, 23@23½; Java, 28; J. F. Jones & Co.'s Ground Java, 30c; Chartres, 35c; Phœnix Premium, 22@23¼. Rio, 25c.

DRUGS—Quotable in jobbing lots for Alum, 6c; Borax, 20@25c; Blue Vitriol, 11@11½c; Potash, Grant's 1-lb cans, ℔ doz. $2 25; Rosin, ℔ bbl, $10@$13; Saltpetre in kegs, 16@22c per lb; Soda Caustic, 6¾@9c; Soda Ash, 4½@5c.

DRY GOODS—Standard drills, 15@16c; seconds 13c; sheetings, light, 11½c; medium 12½c; standard 14@15½c; house lining, 8½; bleached sheeting, ¾, 9@10½c; do, 13½; do, 4-4, 12½@25c; Cotton Checks, 15@30; linen checks, 18@25c; cambrics, 10c; Cotton flannel, bleached, 16@20c; do, brown, 12½@15c; Osnaburgs, light, 20@25c; do, heavy, 25@42c; Denims, 15@30c; Hickory stripes, 12½@25c; Standard prints, 11c; seconds, do, 9c; Delaines, 18@20c; Linseys, 20@39c; Ticks, ¾, 14½@30c; do, 4-4, 20@35, Bear Duck, 24c.

FRUITS (dried) AND PRESERVES—Peaches, 11½@12½; Hungarian Prunes, 17c; Plums, pitless, 12@13c; Raisins, in bxs, $3 75, hf do, $4 00@4 25; quarter, $4 25@$4 50; eighth boxes, $5 [illegible]; Zante Currants, 10½@11½c; Oregon do, 10@12c; Citron, 40@45c.

METALS—Market for jobbing lots for Iron—Scotch and English pig reported in San Francisco, $45; refined bar, ℔ lb, 4½c, Sheet, 14 to 20, 9c; do 24 to 27, 10c. Copper—Sheathing, ℔ lb, 45c; do, Yellow, 49c; Sheathing, bronzed tinned 53c; do old, 16c. Tin Plates—Plates, charcoal, IX per box, $17 50; do I C char, $16; Roofing Plates, $17; Banca Tin labs ℔ lb, 62½c. Steel—English cast steel, ℔ lb, 20c. Lead—Pig ℔ lb, 8@10; Sheet, 15c; Pipe, 12c; Bar, 10@10½c. Zinc, ℔ lb [illegible]. [illegible] Quicksilver, 95c.

NAILS—Quotable 6d to 10d, $4 75 ℔ keg; 8d $5 25 6d, $5 75; 4d and 3d, $6 00; cut spikes, $5 75 ℔ keg; finishing and bradheads, $1 ℔ keg advance on ports; [illegible] size, common, box nails, 75c ℔ keg advance on price of common, same size.

NUTS—Almonds, 25@30c; Brazil, 25c; Filberts 22½c; Hickory, 20c; Peanut, 12c; Pecan, 20c; Walnuts, 12½@13c.

OILS—We quote our market in jobbing lots—Devoe's coal, 31a35c ℔ gal; Downer's 30@35c; Standard, 37½c; Crystaline (in 5 gal cans) 30c; Gaslight, 30c; China Nut, 80a85c. Lard in cases, extra, $1 25, No 1, $1 10. In bbls, extra, $1 10; Linseed, Pioneer (Salem) Mills $1 10 a 1 15 ℔ gallon.

OREGON WOOLEN GOODS—Family Blankets: Superfine, $22; XX $13; X $11 50; No. 1 extra, bound, $10; No. 1, bound, $9 50; No. 2, 4-point, $8 50, No 3 3 pt $6 50. Col'd Blankets: 3 pt Gray, black border, $5 50; do, fancy border $6 75; 3 pt Vienna, $7 00; 3 pt Scarlet, $8 25; 3pt Green, $7 00, 3 pt Blue, $6 75, 3 pt Indian striped, $7 25; 4 pt Gray, fancy B, $7 75; BB to 75, 4 pt Vienna $9 25; 4 pt Scarlet, $11; 4 pt Green, $9 25; 4pt Blue, $9 00; 4 pt Indian, $9 60; No. 1 Gray, $9 50. Flannels: Blue Mix, Twilled, 52½c; Twilled, Scarlet, 57½c, White, plain, 12½c; Twilled, 62½c; Fancy Shirting, twill, 50c, Plain Colored, 40 to 45; Scarlet plain, 47½c. Cloths: Hard Times, $1@$1 15; Cassimeres, $1 20 to $1 35; Cassimeres, 6-4, $2 10, Doeskins, $1 15 to $1 35; Tweeds, 90 to $1. Yarn, White and Gray, $1 25, Scarlet, $1 50; Repellant, $1 10; Clouded, $1 62½.

PAINTS—We quote market in jobbing lots for Averill's chemical ℔ gal, $2 75; Atlantic, 10½@11, Bartlett, 11@12; North River, 11; Greenlock, 10½; Wm. Brown & Sons, 13; French Zinc, white, 16; Devoe's Zinc, white, 12; lampblack, Eddy's, 50@60; Germantown, 45@50 ordinary, 25. Venetian red, 6@8; Havre Ocre, 5@7; red lead, 12½@13; Litharge, 13@14; fire proof, 5@ 6 cents.

RICE—The supplies are not excessive, and jobbers receive through the San Francisco market, quotable, China, 6½@7½c; Patna, 7½c; Island, 8@8½c. No Carolina in market.

SALERATUS—Barton's, 8@8½c; Donnelly's 8; Babbitts, 10@10½c.

STARCH—The agents' rates with the usual discount off to the trade, are for Pearl, 9½c; pure, 12-lb boxes, 10½c; 1-lb papers, 11½c; silver gloss 6-lb bxs, 12½c; 1-lb papers, 13c; Peoria Satin Glaze, 13c; Corn, 1-lb papers, 13c.

SUGARS—The stocks here are up to the average in quantity, quotable as follows: Crushed fine, crushed and dry, granulated, 12½c ℔ lb in bbls, and 12¾c in half bbls; powdered, 12¾c in bbls, and 13c in half bbls.

SYRUPS—Selling here at San Francisco Refinery prices, as full stocks were the rule at the time of the late advance. We quote at 67½c ℔ gal, in bbls; 72½c in half bbls, and 75@77½c in kegs.

Retail Family Market.

The following are the prices at which the principal articles of consumption are held by our Retail Dealers:

GREEN FRUITS.	
Oranges, ℔ doz	1 00
Limes, ℔ doz	25
Cocoanuts, each	25
Ogn. Grapes ℔ lb	12½
Cranberries, ℔ gal	75a 90
Lemons, ℔ doz	1 00a1 50
Peaches, ℔ lb	[illegible]
Apples, ℔ box	1 50a2 00
Plums, ℔ lb	none

DRIED FRUIT.	
Figs, Cal ℔ lb	16a20
Figs, Asia Min, new	35a50
Figs " " old	20a25
Apples	10
Plums, pitless	15a16
Prunes, Ger. & Fr	20a25
Pears	12a15
Bananas, ℔ doz	[illegible]

GROCERIES.	
Coffee, ground, ℔ lb	[illegible]
do green, C R	30a35
do " Rio	none
do " Java	50
do Mocha	none
Sugar, cr[illegible]	14a15
do pulverized	15a16
do granulated	15a16
do Island No1	11½a12½
do " No 2	9a10
do " extra	12½
Milk, condensed	37½
Candles, adamant	20a25
do Paraine	35a37
do Sperm	62
Oil, Kerosene, ℔ gal	40
Syrup, Golden, ℔ gal	1 00
Tea—	
Gunpowder	$1 25a1 50
Imperial	1 25a1 50
Young Hyson	1 00a1 50
Hyson	[illegible]
Eng Breakfast	[illegible]
Japan	[illegible]

PROVISIONS, ETC.	
Butter—	℔ lb
Fancy Dairy	50
Good	25a30
Ordinary	18a22½
Cooking	[illegible]
Cheese, California	20
do Eastern	25
do Oregon	25
Hams, country	18
do [illegible]	18a20
do Sugar-cured	18a20
Shoulders	10a12
Bacon, clear [illegible]	18
do Breakfast	15a16
Lard—	
Pure Leaf, in tins	15a17½
Good, in tins	15
In bulk	12½
Honey, Yellow comb	25
do white	37½
Eggs ℔ doz	40

BREADSTUFFS.	
Flour—	℔ sack
Fancy brands	1 50
Choice	1 25
Common	1 12½a1 25
Graham, extra	1 50
Corn meal, Cal, ℔ lb	4a5
do Oregon	4a5

POULTRY.	
Hens, grown, ℔ pr	$1 00
Roosters, "	1 00
Spring chickens	87½
Ducks, tame	1 25
Geese	1 50
Turkeys	2 50

CANNED GOODS.	℔ doz.
Oyster, 2 lb cans	4 00a4 50
do 1 lb cans	2 75a3 00
Lobsters, 2 lb cans	5 00
[illegible]	2 50a3 00
Sardines, qr-tins	3 00a4 00
do ½-tins	5 00a5 00
Clams	4 00a5 00
Gr'n corn, 2 lb cns	4 00a5 50
" Peas, 2 lb cns	4 00a4 50
" Beans 2 lb cns	3 50a4 00
Tomatoes, 2 lb cns	2 50a3 50
Peaches, 2 lb cns	4 25a4 75
Pine apple, 2 lb cns	4 50a5 00
Strawberries, "	4 00a4 50
Blackberries, "	4 00a5 00
Apricots 2 lb cns	3 50a4 50
Jellies, in tins	4 50a5 50
Jams, in tins	4 50a5 50
Mushrooms, ℔ doz	6 50

SAUCES, ETC.	℔ doz. pts. qts.
Worcester sauce	5 00a9 00
Catsup, Tomato	2 50a3 50
do Mushroom	3 00a5 00
Capers	3 75a6 00
Curry Powder	5 00a6 00
Mustard, Fr'h	2 75a3 25
do Cal	2 50a3 00
Pickles, English, pts	[illegible]
" " qts	9 00

NUTS.	
Almonds ℔ lb	38
Walnuts	18
Brazil	25a30
Filberts	25a25
Peanuts	27a30
Pecans	25
Chestnuts	40
[illegible]	12½

GAME.	
Ducks, wild ℔ pair	62a75
Geese	1 50
Swan	2 00
Grouse	75
Pheasants	62
Venison, ℔ lb	[illegible]

FISH.	
[illegible] Cod, ℔ lb	12½
Boneless	15a18
Pacific Cod	8a12
Sturgeon	6
Salmon	8a10
Desiccated Cod	20
Mackerel, ℔ kit	2 50a4 00
Fresh Oysters, ℔ 100	50

VEGETABLES.	
Squash, Cal ℔ lb	[illegible]
Beets	3
Onions	2a2½
Carrots	[illegible]
Turnips	2
[illegible]	00
Cherries, ℔ lb	00
Cabbage, ℔ doz	1 50a2 00
Cauliflower "	2 00a3 00
Potatoes	2½
Asparagus	00
Lettuce, ℔ doz	60

MEAT.	
Beef, ℔ lb	8a10
do choice cuts	10a15
Mutton	8a12½
" Choice cuts	[illegible]
Veal	10a12½
Pork	10a12½
do choice cuts	[illegible]

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Ordinance No. 1594.

AN ORDINANCE MAKING APPROPRIATIONS out of the Fire Department Fund.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The following sums are hereby appropriated out of the Fire Department Fund, viz:

For quarterly allowances to the several Fire Companies as provided by Ordinance No. 1146 the sum of six thousand nine hundred and sixty dollars.

For the supply of water to July 1, 1875, under a contract heretofore entered into with the Portland Water Co., eighteen hundred dollars.

For rent of house for use of Vigilance Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1, one hundred and fifty dollars.

For salary of Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, eight hundred dollars.

For salary of Fire Warden, four hundred dollars.

For salary of Secretary of the Fire Department, two hundred dollars.

Passed the Common Council January 20, 1875.
W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved January 23, 1875.
HENRY FAILING,
Mayor.

Ordinance No. 1591.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING A CHANGE in the mode of lighting certain Street Lamps.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. Whenever a contract for lighting street lamps with gas shall be entered into with the Portland Gas Light Co., as provided by Ordinance No. 1575, the Committee on Streets and Public Property are hereby authorized to connect the street lamps in which oil is now being consumed situated within fifty feet of the gas mains of said Company, as now laid, with said mains, and substitute gas for oil as the illuminating material for said lamps. *Provided*, such change shall not reduce the number of oil lamps below one hundred.

Passed the Common Council January 20, 1875.
W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved January 22, 1875.
HENRY FAILING,
Mayor.

Ordinance No. 1592.

AN ORDINANCE MAKING A TRANSFER from the Willamette River Fund to the Fund for Interest on Bonds.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The money arising from the sale of certain Bonds having been placed in the Willamette River Fund to defray the expense of improving the navigation of said river, including the purchase of boats and apparatus, and said Bonds having been taken up by the issue of other Bonds upon which interest is being paid, and there being no further necessity for providing for the improvement of the navigation of said river, the balance remaining in the Fund arising from the sale of boats and apparatus is hereby declared to be applicable to the payment of interest on said last named Bonds, and for that purpose the sum of eighteen hundred and fifty six dollars and seventy nine cents is hereby appropriated and transferred from the Willamette River Fund to the Fund for Interest on Bonds.

Passed the Common Council January 20, 1875.
W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved January 22, 1875.
HENRY FAILING,
Mayor.

Ordinance No. 1593.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING A TEMPORARY loan.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. To provide for the payment of allowances to the several Fire Companies, for a supply of water and for the current expenses of the Fire Department until the collection of taxes for the year 1875, the Auditor and Clerk of the City of Portland on behalf of said city is hereby authorized and directed to borrow the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars, gold coin, for ninety days, with interest not exceeding twelve per cent. per annum, and execute a note or obligation therefor, the proceeds thereof to be placed in the Fire Department Fund.

Section 2. Out of the first money received from any tax for Fire Department purposes, the City Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the amount of said loan and interest.

Passed the Common Council January 20, 1875.
W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved January 22, 1875.
HENRY FAILING,
Mayor.

Ordinance No. 1590.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE PURchase of certain real property in the City of Portland.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. In order to provide grounds for public buildings, public works and city improvements, the Auditor and Clerk of the City of Portland is hereby authorized to purchase on behalf of the City, at a sale to be made by the Chief of Police for delinquent street assessments, the following described real property, viz: Lot number one (1) and four (4) in block number one hundred and five (105) Couch's Addition; lots five (5) and six (6) in block three hundred and thirteen (313), and lot seven (7) in block three hundred and fifteen (315) in Gillihan's Addition to the City of Portland. *Provided* the cost thereof shall in no case exceed the amount named in the warrants for the sale of either of said lots, as the amount to be collected for the assessment made by Ordinance No. 1360 for the improvement of B street together with legal costs, and charges.

Passed the Common Council January 13, 1875.
W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved January 14, 1875.
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A. N. GAMBELL, Secretary.
Portland, Jan. 25, 1875. ja25td

DELINQUENT TAX NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Directors of School District No. 1, in Multnomah county, Oregon, has authorized the Clerk to give an extension of time of 30 days from the 24th of December, 1874, for the payment of delinquent taxes. After which further costs will be made by distraint and sale of property.
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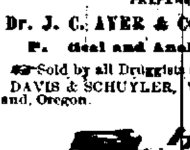

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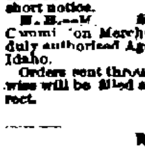

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LEGAL NOTICE.

IN the Circuit Court of the State of [illegible] Multnomah County. [illegible] to appear and answer [illegible] February, A. D. 1875, and [illegible] you, and [illegible] hundred dollars and [illegible] States gold coin [illegible] since October [illegible] of two hundred and fifty dollars [illegible] disbursements of this suit, and [illegible] you to plaintiff to secure the payment of money, on those parcels or tracts of [illegible] city of Portland, in Multnomah [illegible] egon, which are described on the [illegible] as all of lot numbered three (3) in Park [illegible] bered five (5) and six (6) in block [illegible] and twelve (12) in said city, and [illegible] in said county and state [illegible] and described as follows: commencing 13 33⅓ chains east of the corner of [illegible] 35, and 36 in township 1 north, of [illegible] Willamette meridian, running [illegible] chains; thence north 7.50 chains [illegible] chains; thence south 7.50 chains [illegible] cluding, being a part of the donation [illegible] Wm. C. Bowering, and directing [illegible] lands to pay said sums of money [illegible] other relief as may be equitable [illegible] ing service of this summons by publication [illegible] December 19, 1874.

JOHN CATLIN and B. [illegible] Plaintiffs.
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NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE U[illegible] States for the District of Oregon. In the matter of Henry A. Guer[illegible] rupt. District of Oregon, ss. A warrant in bankruptcy has been issued against the estate of Henry A. Guernsey, of the [illegible] Lane and State of Oregon, in said [illegible] who has been duly adjudged a bankrupt [illegible] petition of his creditors, and the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at the City of Portland, in said District, on the 10th day of February, 1875, at 11 o'clock A. M., at the office of H. H. [illegible] up, the Register in Bankruptcy of said District.

DANL. J. MALARKEY,
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WEDNESDAY MORNING FEB 3 1875

CITY.

BARK [illegible] —This vessel having undergone needed repairs, is now lying at [illegible]'s wharf After getting off the sand [illegible] mouth of the Columbia, the vessel was beached at Astoria and the several holes [illegible] through the hull by the anchor [illegible] thoroughly repaired The Windward came up to the city but for some reason continued to leak A board of survey was appointed to carefully examine the condition of [illegible] consisting of Capt Flanders Capt John Holland and N Clinton [illegible] of the board, the vessel was [illegible] the Greenwich wharf beached [illegible] It was then discovered that all the oakum and caulking had worked out of one of the seams near the stern for the [illegible] of more than 15 feet The copper [illegible] had also been scraped off at the time the vessel grounded New caulking was used [illegible] impervious to the admission of water, and coppered all over On righting the vessel it was discovered that she still leaked. She was again beached, and the [illegible] side of the hull exposed, when it was found that the copper was torn off, and the caulking pulled out in one place Similar repairs were made, and on righting the craft she was found to be as tight as a cup, and since [illegible] has not leaked a quart An examination was made by the board a few weeks ago, and [illegible] of the members, some further repairs to the deck and upper works, rigging etc, of the Windward was deemed necessary These instructions have been complied with and at an inspection of the v[illegible] on Monday [illegible] pronounced her in every particular in a staunch and seaworthy condition, after a [illegible] examination

"MAN'S INHUMANITY TO MAN —Monday [illegible] one of the most inhuman and sick[illegible] [illegible] was presented to the view of those happening to be passing up or down Front [illegible] between 4 and 5 P M The [illegible] of Louis Griffeth just as it was taken from the river contorted and disfigured by the death-struggles of the poor boy, and covered with the mud and filth of the river bed from which it had been taken, was in a most [illegible] and unfeeling manner placed in an express wagon without covering of any kind, and the wagon was then hauled for many blocks up Front street, thus [illegible] one of the most heart-rending and [illegible] sights to those who happened to be on the street at that time, covered as it [illegible] at that time in the afternoon by [illegible] children as well as men, a proceeding not only disgusting in the extreme, but fraught with danger Such a sight [illegible] described presented suddenly to a delicate or invalid lady might result in well [illegible] consequences. Such conduct on the part of the coroner (the person in charge of the body), a sworn officer of the law is most [illegible], and cannot be too severely condemned The above facts were related to us by a [illegible] who witnessed them himself

BY THE RIVER ROUTE —Y[illegible], Mr Carl [illegible] who was one of the embargoed [illegible] of the Ajax reached here from Astoria. He with several others, left Astoria Saturday on the Dixie Thompson and came up about 30 [illegible] to Eagle Cliff, when the boat being unable to proceed any further on account of the [illegible] they landed on the Washington Territory [illegible] With infinite pains they climbed up [illegible] precipitous bluff and footed it over the [illegible] Oak Point, and thence up to Cowlitz [illegible] they took the Northern Pacific railway [illegible] At this point they that had not [illegible] by the way," crossed the Columbia on [illegible] This was a most perilous adventure [illegible] rotten, and one of the party [illegible] drowning After crossing [illegible] Mr Bev[illegible], with Capt Fairfowl [illegible] of the way on horseback reach[illegible] [illegible] Bosco says that it is [illegible] in the world, and we admit that [illegible] but one That one is the military road—so-called We [illegible] and we intend to maintain [illegible] day that its equal is to be [illegible] under the sun Bosco may call his No 2, but we shall call out any man who [illegible] other is not No 1

[illegible] named Thomas [illegible] the steamer Annie Stewart [illegible] a few minutes subsequent [illegible] of the boat from the [illegible] was taken sud[illegible] [illegible] on Monday morning He [illegible] during the day and the [illegible] night, [illegible] In a very weak [illegible] Bennett came down and went on board the steamer [illegible] for Portland [illegible] without assistance, and [illegible] laid down Not more than [illegible] from the time [illegible] left the [illegible] the poor fellow had quietly breathed his last Deceased was aged [illegible] years. He was a native of Liverpool, and had been discharged but a few [illegible] the ship Ma[illegible] which arrived at Port Townsend He has a brother residing in [illegible] Australia, and also another in [illegible] The body was brought up to the city [illegible] and the coroner notified Up to a late hour no inquest had been held

[illegible] —The pastor of the [illegible] church was [illegible] surprised last [illegible] by the informal gathering of quite a [illegible] of his church at his study which [illegible] of the most social kind, [illegible] with a season of prayer [illegible] a new plan of labor among the [illegible] and the fact was patent to all that [illegible] meetings had left an [illegible] of earnestness in all our [illegible] while, about forty young [illegible] in the vestry below, [illegible] prayer meeting, [illegible] strictly in the interest of [illegible] of any faith, every Tues[illegible] [illegible] 7:30 o'clock Nothing of stiff [illegible] and many, whom modesty has [illegible] their feelings in [illegible] meetings, here found themselves able to speak freely and [illegible] Meetings will be held on Thursday, Friday and Satur[illegible] at the vestry, to which all are cordially invited

A NEW B[illegible] —During the present [illegible] a number of men have been engaged in [illegible] up the charred and partially consumed rubbish at the scene of the late conflagration on Second street, between Alder and [illegible], and burning it. Arrangements, we [illegible], have been effected by one of the [illegible] Chinese firms of the city to construct a large brick structure on one portion of the [illegible] over which the fire burned The [illegible] belongs to Mr Cadwell but a lease of [illegible] has been made by the firm proposing to erect the new building The dimensions of the [illegible] are 47x100 feet and two stories high. To the rear of this building a smaller one [illegible] one story high, will be added [illegible] rooms occupied by the structure [illegible] feet. In a few days the rubbish will be [illegible] and the work of excavating [illegible] Mr John Byers has the contract for [illegible] building

[illegible] FERRYBOAT Since this craft collided with the pile-driver, some time ago it has been in a leaky condition, and it is found [illegible] to have a pump running most of the time to keep the water out The crossing to [illegible] heavily loaded trucks has had the [illegible] rack the boat and cause the [illegible] loose between the seams [illegible] condition of the boat is such that [illegible] is very necessary It is [illegible] take the ferry down to Astoria just as soon as the river opens and place her on the [illegible], where the hull will receive a [illegible] overhauling

[illegible] —The new cylinder for the steamer [illegible] was cast a few days ago and is at [illegible]. It is one of the finest pieces of casting which has ever been turned out from the Willamet Iron Works The new [illegible] has been placed on board the steamer and will be ready for service in a few days A large [illegible] was turned out from the [illegible] yesterday for the steamer Vancouver.

INQUEST POSTPONED —No inquest was held over the [illegible] of the young sailor, Louis G[illegible], yesterday, as was the intention on [illegible] coroner not being able to procure the [illegible] of the two men Fleming [illegible] who were in the boat when the boy was drowned We understand that the [illegible] until next Satur[illegible]

OVERHAULING —While the O S N Co's boats are lying inactive at the boneyard, Mr Holland the chief builder, is overhauling them—making slight repairs here and there, wherever work is thought to be necessary Comparatively speaking, the boats are all in good condition but it seems to be the ambition of the company to keep all its boats in not only neat but elegant running trim The boats receiving Mr Holland's attention are the Hayward Onconta, Jane McVear and the little Bonat When navigation is resumed all these boats will be in the best possible condition for service

WEATHER REPORT —From the records of the U S Signal Station of Observation Portland, Oregon, February 2 1875

	7 A M	2 P M	9 P M
Thermometer	45°	42°	50°
Wind direction	S	N W	E
Wind velocity	8		4
Weather	Cloudy	Fair	Cloudy
Minimum temperature			35°

LOCAL BREVITIES.

No news yet from the steamer Dixie Thompson

On Thursday the steamer Onward will go down the river

All the O S S Co's boats are running now on the upper Wallamet

The ship Muriel arrived here last evening from down the river in tow of the tug Ben Holladay

Puget Sound mails arrived yesterday but no mail south of Roseburg came in on the evening train

We have received intelligence of the death of Mr Daniel McGill, an old and well known citizen of Sauvie's Island

General Howard will conduct the meeting at the Congregational church to-night commencing at 7 30 o clock

The British Benevolent Society will hold their regular monthly meeting at the office of Corbitt & Macleay to morrow evening

A Chinaman was caught in a back yard, and for his indiscretion a fine of $5 was imposed upon him yesterday in the police court

Number 12 won the feather wreath at the Occidental Hotel on Saturday night The holder of that number is wanted to call and get the prize

The steamer Annie Stewart succeeded in reaching Kalama yesterday She reports the ice sound at Coffin Rock This morning the steamer will start down again

We are in receipt of a complimentary invitation to anniversary ball to be given at the Opera House, Albany on the 22d inst The affair promises to be a grand one

THE COURTS.

U S DISTRICT COURT—DEADY J

TUESDAY Feb 2 1875

U S vs H T Hill et al order to place cause on docket and, on motion of district attorney, cause dismissed

In re C B Comstock, petition for discharge, leave to file amended objections by Monday next on payment of $5 costs

Adjourned to Tuesday next

U S CIRCUIT COURT

Frederick Adams vs Wm P Burke et al, argued and submitted

COUNTY COURT—WOODWARD J

John Oderkirk vs Edgar Poppleton judgment in favor of the defendant.

Oregon Manufacturing Co vs C Morrison, judgment in favor of plaintiff

J A Boscowitz vs J C Cartwright judgment in favor of plaintiff

L White vs A B. Gleason, dismissed at plaintiff's cost

PROBATE

In the matter of the estate of Daniel Waltman deceased, final account of administrator approved

In the matter of the guardianship of J C Van Rensselaer, annual report of guardian submitted and approved

EAST OF THE MOUNTAINS.

The following was the state of the weather last evening east of the mountains at 6.30 o'clock

Dalles—Cloudy thermometer 22°
Walla Walla—Cloudy, thermometer 19°
Wallula—Weather clear, thermometer 16°
Umatilla—Clear thermometer 17°
Cascades—Weather clear, thermometer 29°

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

NATIONAL—John Cornelius, J J Fowler P Real J Beal, Glencoe, William Reeves Isaac Butler, Hillsboro, D M Guthrie, Dallas J H Graham, A J Bell Graham's ferry Wm P Rees St Helens, W H Morris, Salem A Stump Sauvie's Isl, J C Woods Pekin W T, Thos Otchin, Hillsboro, E Hartill, W Union G Hathaway Beaverton, M T Eddy, Tualatin W N Snider Bethel E B Harris Webfoot Mills, O Abernethy, Champoeg Wm N Parrish, Chehalem Wm Mauzy West Union

CLARENDON—Wm Sullivan, Roseburg F W Irwin Salem Lee Laughlin N Yamhill Gus Martin, St Jo Geo Murphy Ed Sikes, St J Welch F O McCown Or City M S Powell, R W Denure, Olympia

SUPREME COURT

SALEM, MONDAY, Feb 1 1875

Samuel A Howe appellant vs Thomas and Francis E Patterson respondents appeal from Columbia county Decree of the court below affirmed opinion by Prim J

S H Humphreys executor appellant vs L I Taylor respondent appeal from Washington county Judgment in the court below affirmed opinion by Burnett J

City of Portland respondent vs Charles T Kamm appellant appeal from Multnomah county Judgment below reversed and new trial ordered opinion by Bonham C J

Carolina Huffman, respondent, vs Samuel Huffman, appellant appeal from Union county Argued and submitted

Newell Russell respondent vs J M Swift appellant, appeal from Baker county Argued and submitted

D A Richards respondent vs O O Fanning appeal from Union county Appellant allowed until to-morrow morning to file a motion for diminution of the record

Adjourned until 1 30 P M Tuesday

George Smith while working in a coal mine near Sehome last week, was badly injured by the unexpected ignition of gases

The crowd continues to meander towards Fabre & Barnes coffee stand, Central Market

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COMMON COUNCIL.

[SPECIAL MEETING, FEB 2, 1875]

The Common Council of the city of Portland met pursuant to call of the Mayor, Hon H Failing, Mayor, presiding

Present—W S Caudwell, clerk, J H Lappeus, Chief of Police, Councilmen Besser Catlin, Corbett, Hoyt, Lyon Moreland, Story and Thompson

Absent—Councilman Russell

MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR

The following communication from his honor the Mayor was read and placed on file

To the Honorable the Common Council

In my annual communication to your body dated in June last, I submitted a condensed statement of the city finances but at that date estimates were necessarily confined to the remainder of the fiscal year and I contented myself with expressing an opinion that in future taxation should not exceed seven and one half (7½) mills based upon last year's assessment yielding say $65 000 revenue from that source

This estimate was received by some with incredulity and thought to be wide of the mark and in view of the levy for the current year, I now beg to submit a statement of the expenses for the past year which will show that the estimate was not only sufficiently large but beyond the requirements for the ordinary expenses of the city government The statement would have been submitted at the last meeting of the Council had not illness prevented

On the 1st January 1874 the floating debt of the city amounted to $27 877 51 or the equivalent of 3 mills tax upon all real and personal property, which the Council wisely provided for in the tax levy for 1874

The revenue from taxes in 1874 (tax of 10 mills on $9 181 0..) netted	$91 214 33
Collected from delinquent tax 1873	... 00
	$91 5.6 33
Floating debt Jan 1, 1874	27 877 51
Paid therefrom	$63 698 82
Floating debt less cash in treasury January 1 1875	266 09
Expenditures for the year 1874 realized from taxation	63 961 91

It will be seen that the debt at the commencement of the present year was merely nominal, and that throughout the year the treasury has been in condition to meet promptly all outstanding warrants

I anticipated this condition of affairs in my message of June last but it is but justice to add that the following items not estimated for at the commencement of the year have been expended during the past six months

Purchase of lot	$ 3 000 00
Rebuilding of engine house	8 364 50
Purchase of hose	1 850 00
	$13,214 50

The city has been enabled to pay for the above items in addition to the expenses estimated for in part by reduction of police force salaries of officers, and a reduction of expenses in city surveyor's office of nearly $200 per month The reduction of expenses is, however largely due to the attention which the standing committees have given to the expenditures of appropriations which are necessarily left to the discretion of such committees in small sums This industry and attention has been very marked in the cases of the committees on streets and public property and on fire and water through whose recommendations the greater part of appropriations of this class are made

I congratulate the members of the Council upon the success with which they have administered the affairs of the city especially during the past six months and upon the fact that for the first time for several years, no deficiency is to be provided for, and taxation can be reduced to the sum necessary for the ordinary expenses of the current year

The assessment roll for the present year is eight hundred thousand dollars ($800,000) less than for the year past, and the income from licenses will no doubt be lessened but with the reductions which have been made in current expenses, it is believed that notwithstanding the reduced assessment that the percentage of taxation estimated in my communication of June last will be ample if it will not exceed the requirements for the current year

Our principal streets are now badly out of repair, and in consequence numbers of our tax payers will be subjected to heavy street assessments

I hope therefore that in levying a tax the Council will restrict the estimated expenditure to the ordinary expenses of the city government, providing amply for the equipment of the fire department according to the recommendations now before the Council, and better supply of water in localities not now provided with cisterns, and postpone all outlay for purposes which are not urgent, until a more propitious time In this way I believe that a levy of seven mills for the current year estimating $55 000 from that source will be found ample, together with the revenue from licenses and fees in police court

I recommend that the Council take the preliminary steps at an early day for repaving or planking Front and First streets where necessary so that ample time may be had to give the required notice to property holders and yet commence the work as early in the spring as possible

I again call your attention to the amount now lying idle in the city treasury, applicable to the erection of a fire alarm telegraph

I desire to express my acknowledgements to the members of the Council for the industry and attention which they have given to the city's affairs and for the support they have given me in efforts to reduce as far as possible the burdens of taxation

HENRY FAILING

Portland, Feb 2 1875

PETITIONS

A petition was read from the Portland Wood and Coal Company, asking for the use of a portion of South Fourth street and also in front of block 19 in Couch's Addition, and asking for permission to lay corduroy roads for temporary use Referred to the committee on streets and public property with authority to act

From J B Miller and others, asking for the erection of lamps at the corners of Yamhill, Ninth and Eleventh streets Referred to the committee on streets and public property

From Arthur Fahie, asking permission to use the northern wall of Multnomah Co No 2's new building for five years Referred to the committee on judiciary

From A G Hammond and others, asking that the limits of the Hebrew Cemetery at the southern end of the city, be not enlarged, and that further interments be prohibited Referred to the committee on health and police

REPORTS

From the committee on ways and means, to whom was referred the petition of L H Wakefield, asking for a reduction of assessment The committee recommended that a reduction of petitioner's assessment be made to the amount of $15,000 Report adopted

The committee on ways and means submitted the following report, which was adopted

To the Honorable the Common Council Your committee on ways and means have had under consideration the estimated expense of the several departments of the city government for the year 1875 and the various sources of revenue to meet the same and respectfully beg leave to report

The estimated expenses including liabilities for expenses incurred prior to Jan 1875, are

Central fund	$50 253 52
Fire department	20 537 21
Interest on bonded debt	7 650 00
Police	15 180 00
Street lamps	12 486 20
Total	$85 336 93

We estimate the revenues for the year to meet the foregoing expenditures to be as follows

In treasury	$ 3 362 00
From licenses, fines and fees in police court and other sources	23 800 00
Special tax 2½ mills for fire department	13 000 00
General tax including police interest and lamps ... mills	33 000 00
Total	$86 16. 00

And herewith present ordinances providing for the levy of said taxes

Your committee have also had under consideration the assessment roll returned by the assessor Dec 1 1874 and as revised and corrected we recommend its adoption

GEO L STORY
J H LYON
H CORBETT,
Committee on Ways and Means

The committee on fire and water, to whom was referred the petition of Protection Engine Co. No. 4 [illegible] the purchase of a hose carriage, reported that they had ascertained that one carriage could be manufactured for the sum of $800, and two for $1,400 Adopted

The committee on judiciary submitted the following report, which was on motion filed

To the Mayor and Common Council The committee on judiciary having had the ordinance authorizing the introduction of water and the use of streets for laying pipes under consideration beg leave to report

That while your committee are favorable to the objects proposed by the ordinance, and would gladly favor any proper measure to reach that end believe that the present ordinance is too indefinite as to the time and manner of carrying out the work proposed We therefore recommend that the ordinance do not pass

Respectfully
J C MORELAND
R R THOMPSON

From the committee on judiciary, to whom was referred the claim of R A Habersham, recommended that the claim be disallowed Report adopted

From the same committee, in relation to the claim of J H Lappeus, for board of prisoners, the committee recommended that the same be referred to Mr Lappeus for correction Report filed

The following communication was received from William Strong, and on motion referred to the judiciary committee

PORTLAND Feb 2 1875

To the Honorable the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Portland GENTLEMEN—The case of the Oregon and California Railroad Company against J H Lappeus, City Marshal to enjoin the collection of the city tax upon the property of the Company has been virtually decided in favor of the city, by the Hon W W Thayer to whom it had been referred His decision will soon be reported to the Circuit court, and will come up for confirmation or otherwise at the term of the court to commence on Monday next

Believing that the principles upon which the referee will, as I am advised, base his opinion are sound I cannot doubt but that his report will be affirmed

Unfortunately, for the settlement of the most important question of difference between the railroad company and the city, the point, whether the rolling stock of the Company is taxable in this city though fully argued was not decided—the case going off upon other points important in itself but leaving the main question still unsettled

Anticipating that this might be the case I was anxious that the bill of review taken by the railroad company to the action of the Common Council on the 11th day of February 1874 upon the assessment of the company's tax for the year 1874 should be first tried In this case the main question is primarily presented and must be decided Though consulted by the City Assessor at the time the assessment for the year 1873-4 was made to whom I gave some advice as to the property belonging to the company taxable in the city yet, as the resolution of the Council under which I was employed embraced only the first suit which was the only one then commenced I did not consider myself retained in this last case and no agency of mine could advance the trial

In a former communication I expressed the opinion that the right of this city to tax the rolling stock of the company was unquestionable and that this opinion is strengthened and confirmed by the thorough investigation made in the trial of the first case

All of which is respectfully submitted

WM STRONG

Councilman Thompson stated, for the information of the Council, that the committee on streets and public property had entered into a contract with the Portland Gaslight Company for supplying the city with gas The contract is for the period of two years and went into effect on the 1st of January, 1875

The Auditor informed the Council that, in compliance with instructions received, he had negotiated a loan of $2,500 from the First National Bank at the rate of ten per cent, per annum

CLAIMS

The following claims against the city were read and ordered paid OREGONIAN, $40 55, H W Corbett, $20, J H Butler, $1, Holman & Co, $1, George Tuttle $1, Northrup & Thompson, $7 77, W Zimmerman, $3, John Barrett, $32 25, D W Taylor, $150, W T Besser, $12, J J Robinson $283 06

ORDINANCES

An ordinance introduced by the committee on streets and public property, making an appropriation out of the street lamp fund, was read first, second and third times, and passed

An ordinance, from the committee on fire and water, making an appropriation out of the fire department fund, was read first and second times, and laid over

An ordinance from the committee on health and police, making an appropriation of $6 810 out of the police fund, was read three times and passed

An ordinance from the committee on ways and means levying a special tax of 2½ mills to defray the expenses of Portland Fire Department for the fiscal year, was read three times and passed

From the committee on ways and means, levying a tax of 5 mills for general municipal purposes Read first, second and third time and passed

From the committee on streets and public property, providing for the time and manner of improving Montgomery street, between Sixth and Seventh, was read three times and passed

From the same committee, providing for the time and manner of improving the east half of Front street, between Morrison and Yamhill Read three times and passed

ESTIMATES

The committee on ways and means reported an ordinance making an appropriation out of the general fund for the payment of salaries and current expenses.

The following sums are appropriated out of the general fund to the several objects herein after named, to be expended under the provisions of ordinances No 1 434 and 1 434, or in such other manner as the Common Council may by ordinance provide viz For salaries of officers—Police judge $1,800 city attorney $1 200 city treasurer, $1 200 auditor and clerk $2 100 superintendent of streets $1,500 surveyor $1 800 for chain bearers and other assistants to the city surveyor, and incidental expenses of the street department, $1 200 Street monuments boxes and covers $50 improvements of streets in front of public property $600 grading setting out trees, repairs and improvements to the public property and the removal of nuisances $250 purchase of property adjacent to B street as provided by ordinance No 1 500 $927 50 completion of work and in about engine house No 2, $850 expense of the police building, including h h[illegible] fuel furniture repairs and incidentals $900 board of prisoners in city jail, $2 500 killing and burying dogs $500 prevention and suppression of infectious and contagious diseases $500 expenses of council room and offices adjacent including rent light fuel furniture repairs etc $1 700 stationery and printing $700, advertising $400 clerk hire $200 postage charges and miscellaneous expenses not otherwise provided for $100 expense of election $60 for salute July 4th $150 expense of litigation payment of witnesses, costs and additional counsel $500 city assessor $1 000

AUTHORIZATIONS

The following authorizations were made The committee on fire and water are authorized to make an expenditure not exceeding $15 to lay a box drain under the engine house of Multnomah Co No 2 The same committee is authorized to expend a sum not to exceed $20, in purchasing torches, and bell ringing apparatus for Protection Co No 4

On motion the Council adjourned

The Transcript says "Since some barley and oats from Puget Sound were recently received at San Francisco the dealers have been making diligent inquiry for more of the same sort The captain of the ship Germania reports that great surprise was expressed there at the quality of the grain as they had always supposed that the Puget Sound basin afforded nothing but lumber coal and clams The demand being established for our oats for manufacturing into oat-meal our farmers may expect a continuance of the same and should be prepared to supply it

RAILROADS.

Oregon & California R. R. Co

TIME SCHEDULE

To Take Effect Sunday, Aug. 2d, 1874, at 4 A. M.

DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAY),
As follows

PORTLAND AND ROSEBURG

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	7 30 A M	Roseburg	7.10 P M
Roseburg	5 00 A M	Portland	4.10 P M

ALBANY EXPRESS TRAIN.
DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAYS)
As follows

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	3 50 P M.	Albany	8 25 P. M.
Albany	5 30 A M	Portland	10 05 A. M.

FREIGHT TRAINS
DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAYS) AS FOLLOWS

LEAVE		ARRIVE.	
Portland	6 15 A M	Junction	6 00 P M
Junction	5 45 A M	Portland.	5 15 P M

The Oregon and California Railroad Ferry makes connection with all Regular Trains

Close connections are made at ROSEBURG with the Stages of the Oregon and California Stage Company

Tickets for Sale to all the principal points in California and the East, at Company's Office,

Cor. F and Front Sts., at Ferry Landing
PORTLAND

Storage will be charged on freight remaining in Warehouse over 24 hours.

Freight will not be received for shipment after 4 o clock P M

J BRANDT Jr., Gen'l Sup't.

E. P ROGERS
Gen'l Freight and Passenger Agent.

The Oregon Central R. R. Co.

TIME SCHEDULE

To take Effect Monday, Novem'r 23, 1874, at 6 A. M.

Daily Trains will run between

PORTLAND AND ST. JOSEPH
AS FOLLOWS

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	2 00 P M	St. Joseph	6 00 P M
St. Joseph	7 00 A M	Portland	11 40 A. M.

Connecting at Cornelius with Stages for Forest Grove at St. Joseph for all points South and West—Lafayette McMinnville Amity Monmouth Independence, Buena Vista and Corvallis.

Passengers received at Fourth street siding on giving signal to the train but are prohibited from getting on or off the train at any other point on the street.

Passengers getting on the train at Ticket Stations without tickets will be charged twenty five cents extra.

On and after Sunday, August 16 there will be no trains run on Sundays.

Freight received at the Company's New Warehouse, and will not be received for shipment after 4 P. M.

J BRANDT Jr.

Northern Pacific Railroad.

PACIFIC DIVISION

TIME TABLE

KALAMA TO TACOMA,
DAILY, (SUNDAYS EXCEPTED)

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Kalama	11 20 A. M.	Tacoma	6 00 P M
Tacoma	6 30 A. M	Kalama	12 40 P M

CONNECTING

At Kalama with O S. N Co's Boats for all points on Columbia River.

At Tacoma with stages for Olympia.

At Tacoma with Steamers for all points on Puget Sound daily and on Wednesdays and Saturdays with Steamers for Victoria and British Columbia

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This route presents to tourists and pleasure parties one of the pleasantest and most comfortable trips on the Pacific coast.

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J. W. SPRAGUE,
General Superintendent

H. W. FAIRWEATHER,
Gen'l Freight and Ticket Agent.

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ALISKY & HEGELE'S
PREMIUM CANDY FACTORY,
No. 107 FIRST STREET.

N. B.—The only place where the justly celebrated

Pan-Roasts and Oyster Patties
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Gem Oyster Saloon!

THE PROPRIETOR ANTICIPATING a freeze up ordered a large supply of EASTERN OYSTERS by the last steamer, and also SHOALWATER BAYS by last steamer from Astoria.

If the blockade continues the "GEM" will have the Oyster Business Cornered

N B —Our Oysters are all in a cellar away from the frost, and will keep for months.

MARKETS.

REID & VESTAL,
BUTCHERS & PACKERS,
Stalls 8, 9 and 10 Central Market.

SHIPS AND STEAMBOATS SUPPLIED

HOME AGAIN!

J. S. SELLER,
Has returned to the
COR. MADISON AND FIRST STREETS,
Where he will be prepared to supply Fresh
Beef, Pork, Mutton, Veal, Etc.,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

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CHRIS. SOLOTH

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A SUIT OF ROOMS FURNISHED OR UNfurnished and one single room furnished in a private family and Board within five minutes walk of Front street. Inquire at THIS OFFICE.

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PLUMBER, GAS AND STEAM FITTER,
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The patronage of the public is respectfully solicited

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SMALL BLACK AND TAN TERRIER REWARD Apply to
MILLER & ACKER
Livery Stables Second and Stark
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NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS BEEN APPOINTED Resident Agent of the San Francisco Board of Marine Underwriters vice Henry Rhodes Esq. removed from the State
J McCRAKEN
Portland Jan 13 1875
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WATER WHEELS, of several patterns, equal to any imported, on hand and made to order, of any size.
REPAIRING OF MACHINERY AND BOILERS promptly attended to and executed with neatness and dispatch
THE LARGEST AND BEST STOCK OF PATTERNS North of San Francisco. No charge for the use of them
Agents for Knowles' Patent Steam Pump, the best in use. Also, Agents for the [illegible] Preparation for the Prevention and Removal of Boiler Scale
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JAMES LOTAN, Superintendent.

BANKS.

LADD & TILTON, BANKERS.

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COLLECTIONS made and proceeds promptly remitted.

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Paid up Capital ...$1,562,500
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BRANCHES
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New York and Canada

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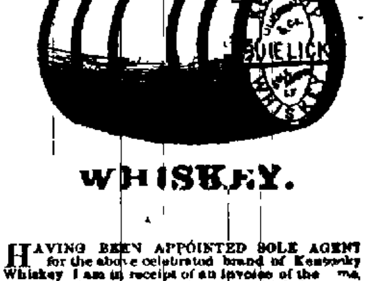

BLUE LICK
WHISKEY.

HAVING BEEN APPOINTED SOLE AGENT for the above celebrated brand of Kentucky Whiskey I am in receipt of an invoice of the same, in barrels half barrels and [illegible] which I am prepared to offer to the trade at jobbing rates.

H. FLECKENSTEIN,
SOLE AGENT,
Wholesale Dealer in Wines and Liquors,
No. 147 First, near Taylor street.

PRISONER ESCAPED.

J. D BROWN ESCAPED FROM THE PENITENTIARY on the night of Jan 28. Is five feet four inches high, had on No 5 shoes twenty five years old dark brown hair hazel eyes dark complexioned powder burned under right eye rather full face thin beard may be tattooed on right fore arm TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS REWARD is offered for his arrest and delivery here.

W H WATKINDS

Salem Jan 29 1875

Treasurer's Notice.

TREASURER'S OFFICE
SALEM, Jan 29 1875

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE IS money in the Treasury applicable to the payment of the following warrants drawn on the Treasury since the 14th day of September 1874 to wit Nos 292 293 3 374 2.1 386 391 39. 404 4. 394 397 403 40 408 416 41. 385 4.3 477 475 4.0 487 488 489 451 45. 457 459 461 193 492 491 494 438 436 497 495 4.9 506 4. 509 1. 51 511 51 1. 17 .0 531 .2 .3 .. .. .0 586 .3 538 .39 .40 544 542 543 516 548 540 ... .. 566 .67 .. 399

Interest on the above warrants will not be allowed after this date

A H BROWN
State Treasurer

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TREASURER'S OFFICE
SALEM, January 21 1875

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE are funds now on hand in the Treasury applicable to the payment of warrants drawn on the Treasury since the 14th day of September A D 1874 to wit Nos. 86, 244 245 264 265 266 246 247 248 249 250, 2.1 2.. 253 251 255 256 257 258 259 260 261 262 263 268 270 280 282 284 285 286 287 288, .89 282 290 291 318 303 307 308 309 310 311 312 313 314 315 316 317 320 321 322 304 305 323 325 327 329 328 331 336 337 338 339 334 343 345 348 318 351 352 3.3 354, 356, 368 340 366

Interest will not be allowed after this date.

A H BROWN, State Treasurer

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W[illegible] & MO[illegible],
FRONT ST., [illegible]
SADDLES,
HARNESS
And Leather
SANTA CRUZ HARNESS LEATHER
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We Warrant all [illegible] which we sell at the LOWEST RATES.

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Forwarding & Commission
MERCHANTS,
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(ALL SIZES)
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W C CHATTIN
General Secretary

WANTED IMMEDIATELY,

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[illegible] Bulletin.

WEDNESDAY MORNING FEB 3 1875

CITY.

[illegible] —This vessel having un[illegible] repairs is now lying at [illegible] wharf After getting off the sand [illegible] of the Columbia the vessel was [illegible] Astoria and the several holes [illegible] through the hull by the anchor [illegible] repaired The *Windward* [illegible] up to this city, but for some reason con[illegible] A board of survey was ap[illegible] fully examine the condition of [illegible] consisting of Capt. Flanders Capt [illegible] Holland and N Clinton [illegible] of the board the vessel was [illegible] the Greenwich wharf beached [illegible] It was then discovered [illegible] oakum and caulking had worked [illegible] near the stern for the [illegible] 15 feet. The copper [illegible] been scraped off at the time [illegible] New caulking was used [illegible] to the admis[illegible] all over On [illegible] it was discovered that she [illegible] She was again beached, and the [illegible] the hull exposed, when it was found that the copper was torn off, and the [illegible] out in one place. Similar re[illegible] and on righting the craft she [illegible] as tight as a cup, and since [illegible] a quart An examination [illegible] by the board a few weeks ago, and [illegible] of the memb[illegible] some further [illegible] and upper works, [illegible] was [illegible] have b[illegible] filled with [illegible] of the [illegible] on Monday [illegible] her in [illegible] particular [illegible] and seaworthy [illegible] after a [illegible]

[illegible] MARKET TO MAN —Monday [illegible] inhuman and sick [illegible] ted to the view of [illegible] to be passing up or down [illegible] 4 and 5 P M The [illegible] Griffith, just as [illegible] the river, contorted and dis[illegible] struggles of the poor boy, [illegible] the mud and filth of the [illegible] it had been taken, was [illegible] and unfeeling manner [illegible] wagon without cov[illegible] and the wagon was then [illegible] up Front street, thus [illegible] the most heart-rending and [illegible] ed to be [illegible] at that time, covered as it [illegible] In the afternoon by [illegible] well-known a proceed[illegible] in the extreme, but [illegible] a sight [illegible] suddenly to a [illegible] might result in well [illegible] Such conduct on the [illegible] (the person in charge of [illegible] of the law, is most [illegible] cannot be too severely con[illegible] were related to us [illegible] them himself

[illegible] Mr Carl [illegible] was one of the [illegible] the *Ajax*, reached here from Astoria. [illegible] left [illegible] Saturday [illegible] and came up [illegible] 30 [illegible] Eagle Cliff, when the boat being un[illegible] any farther on account of the [illegible] on the Washington Territory [illegible] with infinite pains they climbed up [illegible] precipitous bluff and footed it over the [illegible] Oak Point, and [illegible] up to Cowlitz [illegible] took the Northern Pacific railway [illegible] at this point they that had not [illegible] way, [illegible] the Columbia on [illegible] a most perilous adventure, [illegible] and one of the party [illegible] drowning. After [illegible] with Capt. Fairfowl, [illegible] was on bo[illegible] Bosco says that it is [illegible] M, and we admit that [illegible] That one is the [illegible] sailed We [illegible] and we intend to main[illegible] that its equal is to be [illegible] the sun Bosco may [illegible] but we shall call out any [illegible] is not No 1

[illegible] of Thomas [illegible] the steamer *Annie Stew*[illegible] a few minutes subse[illegible] of the boat from the [illegible] was taken sud[illegible] morning He [illegible] the day and the [illegible] In a very weak [illegible] came down [illegible] board the steamer [illegible] for Portland [illegible] Not more [illegible] the time [illegible] the poor fel[illegible] his last. D[illegible] was a native of [illegible] urged but a few [illegible] which arrived [illegible] a brother residing [illegible] and also another in [illegible] t up to the city [illegible] notified Up to [illegible] had been held.

[illegible] —The pastor of the [illegible] surprised last [illegible] gathering of quite a [illegible] at his study, which [illegible] of the most [illegible] with a season of prayer [illegible] a new plan of labor [illegible] the fact was patent to [illegible] had left an [illegible] earnestness in all our [illegible] about forty young [illegible] in the vestry below, [illegible] in the inter[illegible] every Tues[illegible] of staff [illegible] has [illegible] in [illegible] have found the lives [illegible] and [illegible] Meetings [illegible] to which all are [illegible]

[illegible] the pi[illegible] have [illegible] up the [illegible] and partially con[illegible] of the late [illegible] and [illegible] we [illegible] by one of the [illegible] of the city [illegible] struct[illegible] on one portion of the [illegible] the fire burned The [illegible] to Mr. [illegible] but a l[illegible] of [illegible] by the firm proposing [illegible] The dimensions of [illegible] 47x90 feet and two stories [illegible] rear of this building a smaller [illegible] high, will be added, [illegible] by the struc[illegible] In a few days the rubbish [illegible] and the work of excavating [illegible] Mr John Byers has the contract

[illegible] Since this craft co[illegible] river, some time ago it [illegible] condition, and it is found [illegible] pump running most of the [illegible] water out The crossing to [illegible] tracks has had the [illegible] back the boat and cause the [illegible] between the seams [illegible] dition of the boat is such [illegible] is very necessary It is [illegible] the ferry down to Astoria [illegible] the river opens and place her [illegible] the hull will receive a [illegible]

[illegible] new cylinder for the steam [illegible] cast a few days ago and is al[illegible] is one of the finest pieces [illegible] which has ever been turned out [illegible] Willamette Iron Works The new [illegible] been placed on board the steam[illegible] ready for service in a few days [illegible] was turned out from the [illegible] for the steamer *Vancouver*

[illegible] —No inquest was held [illegible] of the young sailor, Louis [illegible] as was the intention, on [illegible] not being able to pro[illegible] of the two men Fleming [illegible] when the [illegible] We understand that the [illegible] next Satur

[illegible] THE O S N Co's boats are lying [illegible] the boneyard, Mr Holland, the chief builder, is overhauling them—[illegible] here and there, wherever work is thought to be necessary Comparatively speaking, the boats are all in good condition, but it [illegible] to be the ambition of the company to keep all its boats in not only neat, but elegant running trim The boats receiving Mr Holland's attention are the *Hayward*, *Oneonta*, *Jone McNear* and the little *Wenat* When navigation is resumed all these boats will be in the best possible condition for service

WEATHER REPORT —From the records of the U S Signal Station of Observation Portland Oregon, February 2, 1875

	7 A M	2 P M	9 P
Thermometer	33°	42°	30°
Wind direction	S	N W	E
Wind velocity	3		4
Weather	Cloudy	Fair	Cloudy
Minimum temperature			33°

LOCAL BREVITIES.

No news yet from the steamer *Dixie Thompson*

On Thursday the steamer *Onward* will go down the river

All the O S S Co's boats are running now on the upper Wallamet

The ship *Muriel* arrived here last evening from down the river in tow of the tug *Ben Holladay*

Puget Sound mails arrived yesterday but no mail south of Roseburg came in on the evening train

We have received intelligence of the death of Mr Daniel McGill, an old and well known citizen of Sauvie's Island

General Howard will conduct the meeting at the Congregational church to-night commencing at 7 30 o'clock

The British Benevolent Society will hold their regular monthly meeting at the office of Corbitt & Macleay to-morrow evening

A Chinaman was caught in a back yard, and for his indiscretion a fine of $5 was imposed upon him yesterday in the police court.

Number 12 won the feather wreath at the Occidental Hotel on Saturday night. The holder of that number is wanted to call and get the prize

The steamer *Annie Stewart* succeeded in reaching Kalama yesterday She reports the ice solid at Coffin Rock This morning the steamer will start down again

We are in receipt of a complimentary invitation to anniversary ball to be given at the Opera House Albany, on the 22d inst The affair [illegible] to be a grand one

THE COURTS.

U S DISTRICT COURT—DEADY J

TUESDAY Feb 2 1875

U S vs H T Hill et al order to place cause on docket, and, on motion of district attorney, cause dismissed

In re C B Co[illegible]ck, petition for discharge, leave to file amended objections by Monday next, on payment of $5 costs

Adjourned to Tuesday next.

U S CIRCUIT COURT

Frederick Adams vs Wm P Burke et al argued and submitted

COUNTY COURT—WOODWARD J

John Oderkirk vs Edgar Poppleton judgment in favor of the defendant.

Oregon Manufacturing Co vs C Morrison judgment in favor of plaintiff

J A Boscowitz vs J C Cartwright judgment in favor of plaintiff.

L White vs A B Gleason, dismissed at plaintiff's cost

PROBATE.

In the matter of the estate of Daniel Waltman deceased final account of administrator approved

In the matter of the guardianship of J C Van Rensselaer, annual report of guardian submitted and approved.

EAST OF THE MOUNTAINS.

The following was the state of the weather last evening east of the mountains, at 6 30 o clock

Dalles Cloudy thermometer 22°
Walla Walla—Cloudy, thermometer 10°
Wallula—Weather clear, thermometer 16°
Umatilla—C[illegible] thermometer 17°
C[illegible] Weather clear, thermometer 29°

HOTEL ARRIVALS

NATIONAL—John Cornelius, J J Fowler P B[illegible] Wm P [illegible] William B[illegible] Isaac Butler, Hillsboro D M Guthrie, Dallas, J H Graham, A J Bell, Graham's ferry Wm P Rees, St Helens, W H Morris, Salem, A Stump, Sauvie's Isl, J C Woods, Pekin W T, Thos Otchin Hillsboro, E Hartill, W Union G Hathway, Beaverton, M T Eddy, Tualitin W N Snider Bethel E D Harris Webfoot Mills, O A [illegible] Champoeg Wm N Parrish, Chehalem, Wm Mauzy, West Union

CLARENDON Wm Sullivan, Roseburg E W Irwin Salem Lee Laughlin, N Yamhill Gus Martin, St Jo Geo Murphy Ed Sikes Sil, J Welch F O McCown Or City, M S Powell R W Denure, Olympia.

SUPREME COURT

SALEM MONDAY, Feb 1, 1875

Samuel A Howe appellant vs Thomas and Francis E Patterson respondents appeal from Columbia county Decree of the court below affirmed, opinion by Prim J

S H Humphreys executor appellant, vs L I Taylor respondent appeal from Washington county Judgment in the court below affirmed opinion by Burnett, J

City of Portland, respondent, vs Charles T Kamm, appellant appeal from Multnomah county Judgment below reversed and new trial ordered, opinion by Bonham C J

Carolina Huffman, respondent, vs Samuel Huffman, appellant appeal from Union county Argued and submitted

Newel Russell respondent, vs J M Swift, appellant, appeal from Baker county Argued and submitted

D A Richards, respondent, vs O O Fantung appeal from Union county Appellant allowed until to-morrow morning to file a motion for diminution of the record

Adjourned until 1 30 P M Tuesday

George Smith while working in a coal mine near Sehome last week, was badly injured by the unexpected ignition of gases

The crowd continues to meander towards Fabre & Barnes' coffee stand Central Market

The winter is fairly upon us We must keep warm [illegible] the cost. Don't go about like a frozen man but straighten up and boldly enter the [illegible] of BECK & WALDMAN and ask them to show your [illegible] heavy winter goods. They'll [illegible] will [illegible] you with the prices [illegible] of the cold weather. On the contrary they [illegible] to make their pa[illegible] as happy by clothing them well, and at the same time charging a low price to suit the [illegible] Don't wait until it is too late but go now

If you would keep warm buy yourself a big Overcoat. Gloves and last but not least good Under clothing all of which KOHN, opposite the National Bank keeps in large quantities You can be suited without a doubt In addition to the above he has a fine assortment of Dress Suits Furnishing Goods The prices are down—like the thermometer Is just now Don't wait until the winter is over and be in [illegible] but buy now while the prices are down

GEO. H. CHANCE, Dentist,
Office—First Street,
(Nearly over Express Office)
PORTLAND

BE YOUR OWN DOCTOR.

Save yourself many dollars in money and many pangs of pain by keeping PRATT'S ABOLITION OIL constantly on hand and using it for all lameness and pain The great popularity of our ABOLITION OIL is owing to the fact that we spare neither labor nor expense in preparing it. *We always have and always shall keep it up to its original standard of unparalleled excellence* ABOLITION OIL cures rheumatism gout sprains stiff and swollen joints bruises, neuralgia lame back pleurisy sciatica sore throat cramps colic cholera morbus, diarrhoea nervous head ache tooth ache ear ache and all aches and pains internal and external Sold by all druggists.

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Strengthen and regulate your system Renew your age. You can do it by using the Regulator and Purifier, PRATT'S NEW LIFE. Stir up your torpid liver, stimulate your kidneys regulate your bowels [illegible] and prevent fever and ague piles Dyspepsia jaundice, dropsy heart [illegible] and all bilious complaints with the [illegible] remedy, PRATT'S NEW LIFE. For sale by all druggists.

A McBoyle & Co, Druggists, 504 Washington street San Francisco manufacturers and sole proprietors

[SPECIAL MEETING, FEB 2, 1875]

The Common Council of the city of Portland met pursuant to call of the Mayor, Hon H Failing, Mayor, presiding

Present—W S Caldwell, clerk, J H Lappeus, Chief of Police, Councilmen Besser Catlin, Corbett, Hoyt, Lyon Moreland, Story and Thompson

Absent—Councilman Russell

MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR

The following communication from his honor the Mayor was read and placed on file

To the Honorable the Common Council

In my annual communication to your body dated in June last I submitted a condensed statement of the city finances but at that date estimates were necessarily confined to the remainder of the fiscal year and I contented myself with expressing an opinion that in future taxation should not exceed seven and one half (7½) mills based upon last year's assessment, yielding say $65 000 revenue from that source

This estimate was received by some with incredulity and thought to be wide of the mark and in view of the levy for the current year, I now beg to submit a statement of the expenses for the past year which will show that the estimate was not only sufficiently large but beyond the requirements for the ordinary expenses of the city government. The statement would have been submitted at the last meeting of the Council had not illness prevented

On the 1st January, 1874 the floating debt of the city amounted to $27 877 51 or the equivalent of 3 mills tax upon all real and personal property, which the Council wisely provided for in the tax levy for 1874

The revenue from taxes in 1874 (tax of 10½ mills on $9 181 055) netted	$91 [illegible]14 83
Collected from delinquent tax, 1873	36 00
	$91 5[illegible]6 83
Floating debt Jan. 1 1874	27 877 51
Paid therefrom	$63,698 82
Floating debt less cash in treasury January 1 1875	246 09
Expenditures for the year 1874 realized from taxation	63 964 91

It will be seen that the debt at the commencement of the present year was merely nominal and that throughout the year the treasury has been in condition to meet promptly all outstanding warrants

I anticipated this condition of affairs in my message of June last but it is but justice to add that the following items not estimated for at the commencement of the year have been expended during the past six months

Purchase of lot	$ 3 000 00
Rebuilding of engine house	8 364 50
Purchase of hose	1 850 00
	$13,214 50

The city has been enabled to pay for the above items in addition to the expenses estimated for in part by reduction of police force salaries of officers and a reduction of expenses in city surveyor's office of nearly $200 per month The reduction of expenses is however largely due to the attention which the standing committees have given to the expenditures of appropriations which are necessarily left to the discretion of such committees in small sums This industry and attention has been very marked in the cases of the committees on streets and public property and on fire and water, through whose recommendations the greater part of appropriations of this class are made

I congratulate the members of the Council upon the success with which they have administered the affairs of the city especially during the past six months and upon the fact that for the first time for several years, no deficiency is to be provided for, and taxation can be reduced to the sum necessary for the ordinary expenses of the current year

The assessment roll for the present year is eight hundred thousand dollars ($800 000) less than for the year past and the income from licenses will no doubt be lessened but with the reductions which have been made in current expenses, it is believed that notwithstanding the reduced assessment that the percentage of taxation estimated in my communication of June last will be ample if it will not exceed the requirements for the current year

Our principal streets are now badly out of repair, and in consequence numbers of our tax payers will be subjected to heavy street assessments

I hope therefore that in levying a tax the Council will restrict the estimated expenditure to the ordinary expenses of the city government, providing [illegible] for the [illegible] of the fire department according to the recommendations now before the Council, and better supply of water in localities not now provided with cisterns, and postpone all outlay for purposes which are not urgent until a more propitious time In this way I believe that a levy of seven mills for the current year, estimating $55 000 from that source will be found ample together with the revenue from licenses and fees in police court

I recommend that the Council take the preliminary steps at an early day for repaving or planking Front and First streets where necessary so that ample time may be had to give the required notice to property holders and yet commence the work as early in the spring as possible

I again call your attention to the amount now lying idle in the city treasury, applicable to the erection of a fire alarm telegraph

I desire to express my acknowledgements to the members of the Council for the industry and attention which they have given to the city's affairs and for the support they have given me in efforts to reduce as far as possible the burdens of taxation

HENRY FAILING

Portland Feb 2, 1875

PETITIONS

A petition was read from the Portland Wood and Coal Company, asking for the use of a portion of South Fourth street and also in front of block 19 in Couch's Addition, and asking for permission to lay corduroy roads for temporary use Referred to the committee on streets and public property with authority to act

From J B Miller and others, asking for the erection of lamps at the corners of Yamhill, Ninth and Eleventh streets Referred to the committee on streets and public property

From Arthur Fahie, asking permission to use the northern wall of Multnomah Co No 2's new building for five years Referred to the committee on judiciary

From A G Hammond and others, asking that the limits of the Hebrew Cemetery, at the southern end of the city be not enlarged, and that further interments be prohibited Referred to the committee on health and police

REPORTS

From the committee on ways and means, to whom was referred the petition of L H Wakefield, asking for a reduction of assessment The committee recommended that a reduction of petitioner's assessment be made to the amount of $15,000 Report adopted

The committee on ways and means submitted the following report, which was adopted

To the Honorable the Common Council Your committee on ways and means have had under consideration the estimated expense of the several departments of the city government for the year 1875, and the various sources of revenue to meet the same and respectfully beg leave to report

The estimated expenses, including liabilities for expenses incurred prior to Jan 1875 are

General fund	$30 283 52
Fire department	18 337 21
Interest on bonded debt	7 650 00
Police	1 180 00
Street lamps	12 486 20
Total	$69 936 93

We estimate the revenues for the year to meet the foregoing expenditures to be as follows

In treasury	$ 3 862 06
From licenses, fines and fees in police court and other sources	23,800 00
Special tax 2½ mills for fire department	19 400 00
General tax including police interest and lamps 5 mills	39 000 00
Total	$86 16[illegible] 06

And herewith present ordinances providing for the levy of said taxes

Your committee have also had under consideration the assessment roll returned by the assessor Dec 1 1874 and as revised and corrected we recommend its adoption

GEO L STORY
J H LYON
E CORBETT,
Committee on Ways and Means

The committee on fire and water, to whom was referred the petition of Protection [illegible] for the purchase of a hose carriage, reported that they had ascertained that one carriage could be manufactured for the sum of $800, and two for $1,400. Adopted.

The committee on judiciary submitted the following report, which was on motion filed

To the Mayor and Common Council The committee on judiciary having had the ordinance authorizing the introduction of water and the use of streets for laying pipes under consideration, beg leave to report

That while your committee are favorable to the objects proposed by the ordinance, and would gladly favor any proper measure to reach that end believe that the present ordinance is too indefinite as to the time and manner of carrying out the work proposed We therefore recommend that the ordinance do not pass

Respectfully
J C MORELAND,
R R THOMPSON

From the committee on judiciary to whom was referred the claim of R A Habersham, recommended that the claim be disallowed Report adopted

From the same committee in relation to the claim of J H Lappeus, for board of prisoners, the committee recommended that the same be referred to Mr. Lappeus for correction Report filed.

The following communication was received from William Strong and on motion referred to the judiciary committee

PORTLAND Feb. 2 1875

To the Honorable the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Portland GENTLEMEN—The case of the Oregon and California Railroad Company against J H Lappeus, City Marshal to enjoin the collection of the city tax upon the property of the Company has been virtually decided in favor of the city by the Hon W W Thayer, to whom it had been referred His decision will soon be reported to the Circuit court, and will come up for confirmation or otherwise at the term of the court to commence on Monday next

Believing that the principles upon which the referee will as I am advised base his opinion are sound I cannot doubt but that his report will be affirmed

Unfortunately, for the settlement of the most important question of difference between the railroad company and the city, the point, whether the rolling stock of the Company is taxable in this city though fully argued was not decided—the case going off up on other points important indeed but leaving the main question still unsettled

Anticipating that this might be the case I was anxious that the bill of review taken by the railroad company, to the action of the Common Council on the 11th day of February 1874 upon the assessment of the company's tax for the year 1871 should be first tried. In this case the main question is primarily presented and must be decided Though consulted by the City Assessor at the time the assessment for the year 1873-4 was made to whom I gave some advice as to the property belonging to the company taxable in the city, yet, as the resolution of the Council under which I was employed, embraced only the first suit, which was the only one then commenced I did not consider myself retained in this last case and no agency of mine could advance the trial

In a former communication I expressed the opinion that the right of this city to tax the rolling stock of the company was unquestionable and this opinion is strengthened and confirmed by the thorough investigation made in the trial of the first case

All of which is respectfully submitted

WM STRONG

Councilman Thompson stated, for the information of the Council, that the committee on streets and public property had entered into a contract with the Portland Gaslight Company for supplying the city with gas. The contract is for the period of two years, and went into effect on the 1st of January, 1875

The Auditor informed the Council that, in compliance with instructions received, he had negotiated a loan of $2,500 from the First National Bank at the rate of ten per cent per annum.

CLAIMS.

The following claims against the city were read and ordered paid: OREGONIAN, $49 55, H W Corbett, $20; J H Butler, $1, Holman & Co, $1, George Tuttle $1, Northrup & Thompson, $7 77; W Zimmerman, $3, John Barrett, $32 25, D W Taylor, $150, W T Besser, $12, J J Robinson, $283 06

ORDINANCES

An ordinance, introduced by the committee on streets and public property, making an appropriation out of the street lamp fund, was read first, second and third times, and passed

An ordinance, from the committee on fire and water, making an appropriation out of the fire department fund, was read first and second times, and laid over

An ordinance from the committee on health and police, making an appropriation of $6,810 out of the police fund, was read three times and passed.

An ordinance from the committee on ways and means, levying a special tax of 2½ mills to defray the expenses of Portland Fire Department for the fiscal year, was read three times and passed

From the committee on ways and means, levying a tax of 5 mills for general municipal purposes. Read first, second and third time and passed

From the committee on streets and public property providing for the time and manner of improving Montgomery street, between Sixth and Seventh, was read three times and passed

From the same committee, providing for the time and manner of improving the east half of Front street, between Morrison and Yamhill Read three times and passed

ESTIMATES

The committee on ways and means reported an ordinance making an appropriation out of the general fund for the payment of salaries and current expenses

The following sums are appropriated out of the general fund to the several objects herein after named, to be expended under the provisions of ordinances No 1 414 and 1 431 or in such other manner as the Common Council may by ordinance provide viz For salaries of officers—Police judge, $1 800, city attorney $1 200, city treasurer $1 200, auditor and clerk $2 100 superintendent of streets, $1 500 surveyor $1 800 for chain bearers and other assistants to the city surveyor and incidental expenses of the street department $1 200 Street monuments boxes and covers $50, improvements of streets in front of public property $600 grading setting out trees repairs and improvements to the public property and the removal of nuisances, $250, purchase of property adjacent to B street, as provided by ordinance No 1 590 $927 50 completion of work and in about engine house No 2, $850 expense of the police building including fuel furniture repairs and incidentals, $900 board of prisoners in city jail $2 500 killing and burying dogs $500 prevention and suppression of infectious and contagious diseases, $500 expenses of council room and offices adjacent including rent light fuel furniture, repairs etc. $1 700 stationery and printing, $700 advertising, $400 clerk hire $200 postage charges and miscellaneous expenses not otherwise provided for $100 expense of election $60 for salute July 4th $150 expense of litigation payment of witnesses costs and additional counsel, $500 city assessor, $1 000

AUTHORIZATIONS.

The following authorizations were made The committee on fire and water are authorized to make an expenditure not exceeding $15 to lay a box drain under the engine house of Multnomah Co No 2 The same committee is authorized to expend a sum not to exceed $30, in purchasing torches, and bell ringing apparatus for Protection Co No 4

On motion the Council adjourned

The *Transcript* says "Since some barley and oats from Puget Sound were recently received at San Francisco the dealers have been making diligent inquiry for more of the same sort The captain of the ship *Germania* reports that great surprise was expressed there at the quality of the grain as they had always supposed that the Puget Sound basin afforded nothing but lumber coal and clams The demand being established for our oats for manufacturing into oat-meal our farmers may expect a continuance of the same and should be prepared to supply it"

Oregon & California R. R. Co

[illegible]

To Take [illegible] Aug. 24, 1874, at 6 A. M.

DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAY),
As follows

PORTLAND AND ROSEBURG

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	7 30 A. M	Roseburg	7.30 P M
Roseburg	5 00 A. M	Portland	4 15 P M

ALBANY EXPRESS TRAIN.
DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAYS)
As follows

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	3 30 P M	Albany	8 25 P. M.
Albany	5 30 A. M.	Portland	10 05 A. M.

FREIGHT TRAINS
DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAYS) AS FOLLOWS

LEAVE		ARRIVE.	
Portland	6 15 A. M	Junction	4 00 P M
Junction	6 45 A. M	Portland	4 15 P M

The Oregon and California Railroad Ferry makes connection with all Regular Trains.

Close connections are made at ROSEBURG with the Stages of the Oregon and California Stage Company

Tickets for Sale to all the principal points in California and the East, at Company's Office

Cor. F and Front Sts., at Ferry Landing
PORTLAND

Storage will be charged on freight remaining in Warehouse over 24 hours

Freight will not be received for shipment after 5 o'clock P M

J. BRANDT, Jr, Gen'l Sup't.

E P ROGERS
Gen'l Freight and Pa[illegible]

The Oregon Central R. R. Co.

[illegible]

To take Effect Monday, November 23, 1874, at 6 A. M.

Daily Trains will run between

PORTLAND AND ST. JOSEPH
AS FOLLOWS

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	2 00 P M	St. Joseph	6 00 P M
St. Joseph	7 00 A. M	Portland	11 00 A. M

Connecting at Cornelius with Stages for Forest Grove at St. Joseph for all points South and West—Lafayette, McMinnville Amity, Monmouth Independence Buena Vista and Corvallis.

Passengers received at Fourth [illegible] on giving signal to the train but are prohibited from getting on or off the train at any other point on the street.

Passengers getting on the train at Ticket Station without tickets will be charged twenty five cents extra.

On and after Sunday, August 16, there will be no trains run on Sundays.

Freight received at the Company's New Warehouse, and will not be received for ship[illegible] after 4 P M.

J BRANDT, Jr.

Northern Pacific Railroad.

PACIFIC DIVISION

[illegible]

KALAMA TO TACOMA.
DAILY, (SUNDAYS EXCEPTED)

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Kalama	11:20 A. M.	Tacoma	5:00 P M
Tacoma	6 30 A. M.	Kalama	12:00 P M

CONNECTING

At Kalama with O S N Co's Boats for all points on Columbia River

At Tenino with [illegible] for Olympia.

At Tacoma with [illegible] for all points on Puget Sound daily, and on Wednesdays and Saturdays with Steamers for Victoria and [illegible]

SUMMER EXCURSION

From Portland to Victoria and [illegible] via O S N Co., N P R R. and P S S N Co.

ROUND TRIP, $20

To Tourists and Families [illegible] CLUBS OF [illegible] OR MORE, tickets good for the entire [illegible] will be sold for the above rate

This route [illegible] to tourists and [illegible] parties one of the [illegible] and [illegible] comfortable trips on the Pacific [illegible]

Tickets for sale at the [illegible] of the O S N Co., Portland, Or

J W SPRAGUE,
Gen'l Superintendent

H. W FAIRWEATHER,
Gen'l Freight and Ticket Agent.

OYSTERS.

ALISKY & HEGELE'S
PREMIUM CANDY FACTORY,
No. 107 FIRST STREET.

N B —The only place where the justly celebrated

Pan-Roasts and Oyster Patties
ARE SERVED.

Gem Oyster Saloon!

THE PROPRIETOR ANTICIPATING a freeze up ordered a large supply of EASTERN OYSTERS by the last steamer and also SHOALWATER BAY'S by last steamer from Astoria.

If the blockade continues the "GEM" will have the Oyster Business "Cornered"

N B —Our Oysters are all in a cellar, away from the frost, and will keep for months

MARKETS.

REID & VESTAL,
BUTCHERS & PACKERS,
Stalls 8 9 and 10 Central Market

SHIPS AND STEAMERS SUPPLIED

HOME AGAIN!

J. S. F[illegible]

Has returned to the

COR. MADISON AND FIRST STREETS.

Where he will be prepared to supply Fresh

Beef, Pork, Mutton, Veal, Etc.,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

PORTLAND MARKET.
E. H. GARLING,
Cor. MORRISON and SECOND [illegible]

KEEPS CONSTANTLY ON HAND the best of all kinds of MEATS. All orders delivered in any part of the city Free of Charge. Also, KOSHER BEEF, VEAL AND MUTTON

[illegible], SOLOTH

INVITES HIS OLD PATRONS AND the public generally to call at his

NEW BUTCHER SHOP,

Washington St., one door East of Third.

TO LET.

FOR RENT.

A SUIT OF ROOMS FURNISHED OR UNfurnished and one single room furnished in a private family and Board within five minutes walk of Front street. Inquire at THIS OFFICE.

REMOVED.

C. H. MYERS,
PLUMBER, GAS AND STEAM FITTER,
HAS REMOVED TO
Corner Front and Taylor Streets.

The patronage of the public is respectfully solicited.

DOG LOST.

SMALL BLACK AND TAN TERRIER RE WARD Apply to MILLER & ACKER, Livery Stables Second and Stark

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS BEEN APPOINTED Resident Agent of the San Francisco Board of Marine Underwriters vice Henry Rhodes, Esq. removed from the State.

J McCRAKEN

Portland Jan 13 1875 ja14 1m

WILLIAMS & KRUMBEIN,
Architects,
Office—Room 17 Dekum's Building

[illegible]
JOHN HONAY[illegible]
Corner Columbia and Front [illegible], Portland, Oregon.

HAVING [illegible] Works, [illegible] to all [illegible] PORTABLE AND STATIONARY [illegible] GRIST AND SAW MILLS, [illegible] MACHINERY, [illegible]

IRON AND BRASS CASTINGS of every description furnished at short notice at lowest market rates

Repairing [illegible]

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WILLAMETTE IRON WORKS,

[illegible] ber 16, 1868,

CORNER OF NORTH FRONT AND "E" [illegible]

P FITTBOGEN, [illegible] PETER TAYLOR, [illegible]

IRON AND BRASS FOUNDERS, BOILER MAKERS, General MACHINISTS AND ENGINE BUILDERS,

MANUFACTURE AND HAVE FOR SALE

High and [illegible] Marine and [illegible] Grist Mills [illegible] WATER WHEELS, of several patterns, equal to any imported [illegible]

REPAIRING OF MACHINERY AND BOIL[illegible]

THE LARGEST AND BEST STOCK OF PATTERNS North of San [illegible]

Agents for Knowles' Patent St[illegible] Pump, the best in use. Also, [illegible] for the [illegible] Preparation for the Prevention and Removal of Boiler Scale.

[illegible] JAMES LOTAN, [illegible]

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BANKS.

LADD & TILTON, BANKERS.

DEALERS IN [illegible] CURRENCY [illegible]

[illegible] made and [illegible]

[illegible] Time D[illegible]

Coin & C[illegible]

(Sight and Telegraphic,) for sale on

SAN FRANCISCO, NEW YORK,
ST LOUIS, CHICAGO,

Bills of Exchange

Drawn in the [illegible]

LONDON, [illegible]
PARIS, BERLIN,
FRANKFORT-ON-THE-MAIN

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF PORTLAND.

[illegible]

DEPOSITS RECEIVED IN COIN OR [illegible] INTEREST ALLOWED on [illegible] LETTERS OF CREDIT [illegible] in the Atlantic [illegible] SIGHT EXCHANGE AND [illegible] TRANSFERS payable in Coin or Currency, for sale on NEW YORK, SAN FRANCISCO, [illegible] ST. LOUIS

Sterling or SIXTY DAY BILLS [illegible] to suit, direct on

LONDON, PARIS,
BERLIN, FRANKFORT-ON-THE-MAIN

THE

BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA,

Incorporated by Royal Charter

Paid up Capital [illegible] $1,500,000

[illegible]

BRANCHES

In V[illegible] San Francisco and [illegible]

AGENCIES

In New York, Canada [illegible] Ireland

[illegible] for Sale on

England, Ireland, Scotland,
New York and Canada

[illegible] ALLOWED on [illegible] at the rate of SIX (6) PER CENT. PER ANNUM for [illegible] of three months and upwards

[illegible] Bills [illegible] made on available collaterals.

[illegible]

MASONIC SAVINGS AND LOAN BANK,

NO 6 POST STREET, MASONIC TEMPLE, San Francisco. Moneys received on Term and Ordinary Dep[illegible] Dividends paid [illegible] Annually Loans made on approved security Certificates of Deposit issued payable at New York, Phil[illegible] Boston and the principal cities of the Atlantic and Canada This Bank solicits the patronage of all [illegible] Wm. H Culver President, Frances Smith, Vice President, H. T Graves, [illegible] Leonidas E. Pratt, Attorney

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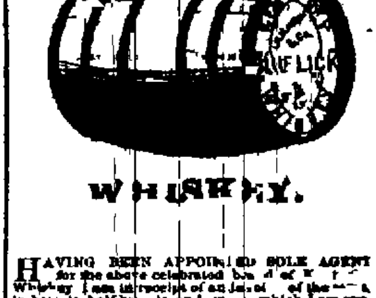

WHISKEY.

HAVING BEEN APPOINTED SOLE AGENT for the above celebrated brand of [illegible] Whisky I am in receipt of an invoice of the [illegible] in barrels, half barrels and [illegible] which I am prepared to [illegible] to the trade at jobbing rates.

H. FLECKENSTEIN,
SOLE AGENT,

Wholesale Dealer in Wines and [illegible]
No. 147 First, near Taylor street.

PRISONER ESCAPED.

J. D BROWN ESCAPED FROM THE PENItentiary on the night of Jan 28. Is five feet four inches high, bed on No. 5 [illegible] twenty-five years old, dark brown hair hazel eyes, dark complexioned, powder burned under [illegible] eye rather full face thin beard may be tattooed on right forearm TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS REWARD is offered for his arrest and delivery here

W H. WATKINDS

Salem Jan 29 1875

Treasurer's Notice.

TREASURER'S OFFICE
SALEM Jan 29 1875

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE IS money in the Treasury applicable to the payment of the following warrants drawn on the Treasury since the 14th day of September 1874 to-wit Nos. 292 298 373 374 381 386 391 394 404 410 394 397 403 407 408 416 431 385 463 477 478 450 457 488 489 451 452 457 459 461 498 492, 491 494 448 496 497 495 499 506 [illegible] 509 511 512 514 515 516 517 520 521 [illegible] 523 [illegible] 530 536 537 538 539 540 544 542 543 546 548 549 551 [illegible] 566 [illegible] 899

Interest on the above warrants will not be allowed after this date.

A. H BROWN
State Treasurer

jan 29d1w

TREASURER'S OFFICE,
SALEM, January 21, 1875

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE are funds now on hand in the Treasury applicable to the payment of warrants drawn on the Treasurer since the 14th day of September A. D 1874 to-wit Nos. 98, 244, 245 246, 247 248 249 250 251 252, 253 254 255, 256 257 258 259 260 261 262, 1, 270, 280 282, 284 285, 286, 287, 288, 289 292 290 291, 318 303 307, 308 309 310 311 312, 313 314 115 316 217 330 321 322 304 305 319, 325 327 379 329 231 306, 327, 336 339 324, 243 246 348, 318 351 352 256 354 356, 361 340, 366

Interest will not be allowed after this date

A. H. BROWN, State Treasurer

[illegible]

WALSH & [illegible]

[illegible] SADDLES [illegible]

[illegible]

FORWARDING AND COMMISSION

[illegible]

[illegible] DILL & CO.,

[illegible]

Forwarding & Commission

[illegible]

STAR LINE [illegible] PACKETS

[illegible]

No. 60 [illegible]

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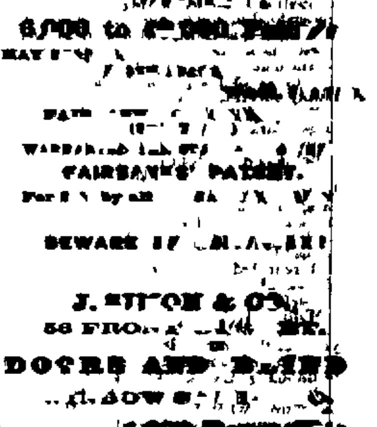
FAIRBANKS'



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PLATFORM SCALES!

[illegible]

WAREHOUSE SCALES

[illegible]

WAGON SCALES

5,000 to [illegible]

[illegible]

FAIRBANKS' PATENT.

For Sale by all [illegible]

BEWARE OF [illegible]

J. [illegible] & CO.,
56 FRONT [illegible]

DOORS AND BLINDS

[illegible] WINDOW SASH [illegible]

1,000 Doors [illegible]

[illegible]

PRICES REDUCED

[illegible]

GOLDSMITH & LOEWENBERG.

[illegible]

STOVES, METALS,

AND

TIN[illegible] STOCK.

AGENCY FOR WILCOX & [illegible] SAFES

Wells, Fargo & Co's Express.

HAVING ESTABLISHED [illegible] and [illegible] Freight or Packages will be [illegible] any part of the city (by giving [illegible]) with [illegible] own and [illegible]

COLLECTIONS MADE and [illegible] Purchase of Goods, etc., etc., will [illegible] attention

We shall [illegible] to DRAW [illegible] on all the principal cities of the United [illegible] the Canadas and [illegible] EXCHANGE when [illegible]

[illegible]

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION

PUBLIC READING ROOM.

LOCAL AND EASTERN PAPERS AND MAGazines A warm, comfortable [illegible] the citizen and stranger [illegible] always welcome

Noon meetings daily except Sundays, from 12:15 till 1 P M

Room No 1 over [illegible] corner of Stark and First [illegible]

WANTED.

LADIES TO SING AND DANCE—[illegible] WHO have been in the profession [illegible] Apply at once [illegible] New Adelphi Va[illegible] between the hours of 10 and 4 o'clock daily Also wanted—ladies to sit in [illegible] not [illegible] must be [illegible] Apply at [illegible] entrance [illegible] back entrance Oro Fino Theater

[illegible]
The Daily Oregonian.
WEDNESDAY MORNING, FEB 3, 1875

THE TILTON-BEECHER CASE—CHARACTERISTICS OF THE JURY

[From the N Y Tribune]

It is a singular fact that among all the many jurors called, the examinations of the twelve accepted jurymen were the least protracted and apparently the least cautious and thorough More time was devoted by counsel to the taking of testimony for the purpose of excluding Andrew Mackey and Louis H Robinson than by the inquiry into the disposition and state of mind of all the jurors who entered the box as the jury to try the case

The names and addresses of these twelve jurymen are as follows Orillon B Halstead No 340 Pacific street Henry Tover No 76 Noble street George Hall No 102 Devoe street Christopher Fitter, No 527 Park avenue Samuel Plate No 224 Ryerson street, A R Case No 482 North Second street Edward Whelan, No 566 Franklin avenue, William H Davis, No. 682 DeKalb avenue, John F Taylor No 56 Boerum street William T Jeffrey, No 156 Elliott place, Chester Carpenter, No 300 Van Buren street, John McMurn, No 90 Rochester avenue

Halstead the first juror, is a gentleman of dark complexion, with black hair and beard He is very precise in his manner, and evidently of a phlegmatic temperament He is a hardware merchant and belongs to the Methodist [illegible] his examination it was developed that he had read all the documents issued by the parties to the controversy, and he candidly admitted that each of them had made an impression on him, but they were only momentary [illegible] amount to convictions. He said he looked upon all of them as *ex parte* He was accepted by Beecher's counsel without a challenge the examination by the plaintiff's counsel having been satisfactory to them

Henry Taylor, the second juror, is an old mechanic, thin and spare and with an indifferent cold and, as it were tired look and [illegible] He is an [illegible], in the employment of John H Keyser He admitted on his examination that he was a man of very little reading, who took very little interest in the controversy, very little interest in public affairs, and the evidence which is to be produced in the case will be almost entirely new to him. He was not apparently a highly intelligent man though evidently so fair and of such strong common sense that Beecher's attorneys accepted him without a challenge

George Hall, the third juror, underwent a very brief examination He is a man inclined to corpulency and of dark complexion He is a carpenter by trade and a member of the [illegible] Church He [illegible] in his examination that he read many of the statements made by various parties to the scandal, and had been impressed from time to time as he read but these had left him with no fixed opinions He was accepted by the counsel for Beecher without objection

Christopher Fitter, the fourth juror is the exact opposite of the third juror in personal appearance, being extremely spare and of light complexion. He is a German by birth but has been naturalized twenty years He is engaged in the sale and manufacture of wood and willow ware Fitter stated in the examination that he read both sides, and as he could not believe both, he did not know which to [illegible] He admitted that he [illegible]. He was examined by Beecher's counsel at considerable length, but it was stated that the challenge was interposed simply to the end that he might be examined further than [illegible] and plaintiff had done, and finally the challenge against him was withdrawn, and he became mutually accepted

Samuel Plate, the fifth juryman, is a young man only 24 years old, but with a manner indicating greater maturity He has a light [illegible] He had read, he stated on the [illegible] very little about this controversy. [illegible] that he had seldom [illegible] and he had lost all interest in [illegible] was challenged by the [illegible], but [illegible] the challenge was withdrawn and he was accepted by both sides

A R Case, the sixth juryman, is a small man of light complexion and very lively manner and quick, bright expression He is a [illegible] He belongs to the [illegible] Church He was very clear in his examination in expressing his state of mind to the [illegible] He said he had [illegible] the statements, but had [illegible] He had expressed [illegible] to different persons, but, believing there would be a great difference between the published statements and the evidence [illegible], he had formed no fixed opinions. He is evidently [illegible], who weighs his words and things with equal precision. He declined on the examination to answer a question until he fully understood it, and his answers were as carefully [illegible] drawn as were the questions of the lawyers He was challenged by the defense, but only to make further inquiries as to his personal relations, etc , and finally cheerfully accepted by Evarts

Edward Whelan the seventh juror, is a large, dark complexioned man of somewhat stern looks. He is a Catholic in his religious belief, and a builder by trade His examination was brief, and elicited only the fact that he was wholly indifferent to the issue of the case, and rather disinterested in the story of the scandal He had read and been impressed by Tilton's [illegible] but he had subsequently read the statement by Beecher and that had removed the impression left by the first He was accepted without being challenged by the defense.

William H Davis, the eighth juror, is an Englishman by birth, but has been many years in this country He is large and portly, very dark in complexion, and positive and determined in expression. He belongs to no religious denomination, but attends the Episcopal church when he goes at all He stated on the [illegible] that he had read the scandal statements until he had lost all interest in the subject It appeared subsequently that domestic afflictions had chiefly withdrawn his [illegible] He was challenged by the defense, but the judge decided he was competent to sit as a juror and he was ordered to take his [illegible] the defense [illegible] and the objection seemed to be negative rather than positive

John F Taylor, the ninth juror, is a merchant and manufacturer of corks He belongs to no religious denomination and seldom attends church He stated that he read largely of [illegible] literature, and had had opinions after reading each statement but these had yielded to further reading, and the more he read the less positive he seemed to become and finally he was left without accurate or distinct opinions He admitted that he had had actual opinions—not mere impressions—whenever a statement appeared, and that these opinions were changed by the next statement which appeared Notwithstanding these evidences of a lack of the judicial temperament in Taylor, he was accepted by the counsel for the [illegible] without challenge.

W T Jeffrey, the tenth juror, is a short compactly built man of very firm and demure appearance who announced himself as a flour broker in business, and an Episcopalian in faith It was developed upon the examination that he had formed an opinion, which subsequently yielded to evidence. He had [illegible] the matter very frequently, and had always been on one side—which side did not appear His opinions and impressions were weaker now, although he acknowledged he had expressed an opinion within the last month He was challenged by the defense more particularly with regard to his acquaintance with Moulton ; but it appearing that he only knew Moulton by sight, the juror was accepted.

Chester Carpenter, the eleventh juror announced himself to be a Presbyterian and admitted that he had formed at one time a deliberate impression which he had got rid of by reading His mind had been changed by reading one of Beecher's sermons on theaters and Sabbath amusements It was brought out that in his present state of mind he held that Beecher was innocent until he was proved guilty, and that this was to be proved only by evidence such as he had not read or heard He was accepted by the defense without challenging

John McMurn, the twelfth juror a grocer was developed by the examination to be an Irish gentleman, who had read very little relative to the controversy had formed no opinion upon it, and was utterly indifferent to the issue.

The Alden Works of Salem have tested the value of the process by working up 1,500 bushels of apples and pears, mostly the former and are now engaged packing the fruit and preparing it for sale It is claimed that the success of the enterprise is unquestionable

FINANCE AND COMMERCE

Tuesday Evening February 2 1875

Gold in New York, 112¼.

Legal Tenders in Portland [illegible] 88½ selling 89

Legal tenders in San Francisco 89¼ buying 89¾ selling

Sight exchange on San Francisco coin ⅛ ℘c discount; currency ½ of 1 per cent prem

Sight exchange on New York coin ¼ of one per cent prem and currency ¾ of one per cent

Price of Sterling exchange in New York $4 84½ @ 4 88

Gold bars 72@7[illegible]

Average California wheat ex warehouse is quoted by latest telegrams from Liverpool, at 46s 4d per quarter Oregon ditto 46s 8d Oregon cargoes for prompt shipment are quotable in Liverpool at 43s per quarter; ditto in Cork 44s The European markets are all reported dull, and cargoes for shipment find slow sale

The dullness in financial circles heretofore noticed continues without much interruption though occasional transactions are occurring mainly in response to inquiries of those who contemplate the establishment of new enterprises or the inauguration of local improvements The call from grain dealers is not large in volume or frequent owing to a sort of dead lock that exists both in the wheat and tonnage markets

Trade circles are rather more active to-day than they have been before at any time since the closing of the river by ice as an opportunity is now afforded to ship to Puget Sound by rail from Kalama the river being open to that point and the boats will be running from thence to morrow The ice embargo still holding on the Columbia at a point below the mouth of the Cowlitz there is a very considerable amount of merchandise waiting at Astoria for our merchants whose stocks in some lines of goods are becoming somewhat depleted In a short time we expect however that before many days we will be able to record the arrival at our wharves of a number of the grain fleet several coasters from San Francisco and the Falkinburg and Mattie Macleay from Honolulu bringing a very large quantity of goods and receiving cargoes of the produce now accumulating in the warehouses and on the wharves here

Wheat and Tonnage.

Advices from abroad to day put no new aspect upon the produce market Wheat is being occasionally offered, but in this cereal there is apparently a dead lock between holders and shippers just as there is between exporters and shippers in regard to charters. A wide margin in demands and offers holders of wheat asking $1 45@1 50 ℘ cental for wheat and exporters offering $1 3[illegible]@1 37½ ship-owners asking 65s@70s ℘ ton for vessels and no offers being made as far as we can learn This state of affairs in wheat is likely to continue until the cargoes now at hand are got off and vessels under charter are at hand and must be loaded or receive demurrage. The grain and flour now in the hands of exporters ready and awaiting shipment is larger in amount than at any time before during the season though perhaps not sufficient to load the several ships which are fully due and several of which are in the river

Shipping Intelligence.

It is expected that the Oriflamme will leave San Francisco for Portland to-morrow

The bark Muriel arrived in port this evening at a late hour, and will discharge the remainder of her ballast and begin to take on cargo at once She will be loaded by the Salem flouring mills.

The British ship Euterpe, under charter to load wheat for Europe for the Oregon State Grange, arrived at Astoria last Saturday She will load at that point

The British ship Lizzie C Troop, now at Astoria will be loaded by J McCraken & Co., who have her cargo at hand most of it being already on barges which will go down the river immediately on its opening

The Jane A Falkinburg now at Astoria consigned to Allen & Lewis, brings 2 516 kegs sugar 386 bags rice, 45 bags coffee, 67 bbls molasses and 50 [illegible].

The British ship Sussex arrived at Astoria on Saturday last.

There are now ten grain ships at Astoria and this [illegible]

[BY TELEGRAPH]

San Francisco, Feb 2—Arrived—Bark Nicholas Biddle Port Blakely steamer Newbern Colorado river and Mexican ports.

Sailed—[illegible] San Diego ship Arkwright Nanaimo barkentine Marama. Tahiti

San Francisco, Feb 2 Sailed—Bark Oregon, Seabeck [illegible] Coos Bay U S steamer Pensacola, Honolulu.

San Francisco Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

San Francisco Feb 2—Flour—Extra $5@5 37½ Wheat—Choice milling, $1 57½ ; fair shipping $1 50

Barley—Bay feed. $1 60; extremes, $1 45@1 70

Oats—$1 60@1 80 for fair to choice feed

Hay—$10@$17

Potatoes—$1 75@1 90

Corn—Choice yellow $1 50; fine do $1 47½

Onions—Fine $1 25@1 30 Union City $1 50

San Francisco Stock Market.

[BY TELEGRAPH]

San Francisco, Feb 2.—Ophir 128, Mexican 88, G & C 23½ B & B 57, Savage 115, Chollar 70, H & N 47½, C Point 34½, Jacket 103, Imperial 13 Empire Mill 8½, Kentuck 10½, G H Quartz 3½, Alpha 18½, Belcher 43 Confidence 22½ Con Virginia 51½, S Nevada 15 Daney 2, California 76, Justice 140 Exchequer 210 Seg Belcher 120, Overman 69 Lady Bryan 4½, Julia 6, Succor 4½ Union Con 11½ Caledonia 2½, Knickerbocker 4½ Baltimore 7½, Bullion 4½ Bacon 8½ Utah 5½ Silver Hill 10½, Challenge 8½ Dayton 4, Rock Island 4 New York 3½ Occidental 4½

Evening Board —Valley 6½ Raymond 27 Eureka Con 15½. W & C 80c American Flag 2½ Belmont 7½ Newark 75c Rye Patch 3½ Eldorado S 1½ Cherry Creek 1, Chariot 2½ Lamore 2 Empire 50c O H Treasure 3 Senator 1 Phil Sheridan 2, American Flat 7 Mint 50c Woodville 3 Mahogany 6 South Chariot 75 Lady Washington 2 Kossuth 1½ O G Hill [illegible], Rock Island 1½, J Little 1½ C I Ravine 1, Leo 1½, Andes 5½, Wells, Fargo & North Carson 4½, Niagara 1½ Cosmopolitan 75c, Leviathan 1½, Flowery 3, South Justice 5½

General Merchandise.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS—Trade is quiet and prices [illegible] at current quotations. [illegible] Wagons [illegible] Bain [illegible] inch to 4-inch [illegible] Pacific do $120@150 [illegible] supply

BAGS [illegible] standard 1 [illegible] 33c Flour [illegible] Grain 10¼ oz 22x44 11@15c Oat 23x40 14@1[illegible] 15@16c Flax seed, 21x36 15c, Wool, 3[illegible] 40x90 60@65 Burlaps 40 inch, 10 10½, 11, 11½ and 12 oz 10@12c Seaming Twine 3 ply flax 40@50c Roping 5 ply flax and jute 40@45 4 4 Dutch Carpeting and Matting [illegible] Table Baizes 30 yard lengths wool and bronze patterns $6 per piece

BOOTS AND SHOES—Stocks on hand embrace full assortment trade light yet an active call for the favorite brands like the Cordova kip and the genuine Webfoot boots for Ladies Misses' and Childrens wear the Button Boots take the lead We quote Webfoot 2 sole kip boots $51@54 Granger ½ ds kip boots $46@48, Mohawk Standing boots $47 50@52 Calf Dress boots ds $37@60 Boys' Kip Cordova boots, $30 Boys' Split do $2[illegible] Lumber do $[illegible], Knee $48@50

BROOMS—The jobbing prices are firm at $3@3 50 per doz. for common and $4 75@6 50 for best to extra best

BUILDING MATERIALS—Mill prices delivered in the city are Fir lumber rough $12 per M edged $14 surface sheathing $16 siding $20 rustic $25 flooring, $22 or roofing $17 50 seasoned flooring $25 one side planed $30 four sides planed $25 sidewalk and wharf flooring $11 Laths $2, Pickets, 1½ inch finest per 100 75c Lattice 75c per 100 Shingles $2 50@$2 per M

CANNED GOODS—Oysters $2 25@$2 75 Jams and Jellies, $4 00 Los Angeles Honey, $4 00 Strawberries $1 00 Rasberries $4 25 Blackberries $4 00 Pine Apple $3 50 Green Gage $3 50@$3 Peaches $4 00@4 25 Pie Fruit $3@$3 Green Peas $3 00 Green Beans $3 60 Lobsters $1 50@3 37 Clams, $4 Green Corn, $3 60@$3 [illegible] Tomatoes $[illegible] Quinces $[illegible]

CEMENT &c —New Jersey $6 Calcine Plaster $[illegible] Land Plaster $2 50 Santa Cruz Lime $2 50 San Juan Lime $2 50 English Portland Cement $5 75 Hoffman's New York Cement $5

COFFEE—Market well sustained at the following jobbing prices Costa Rica 2[illegible] Guatemala 23@2[illegible] Java 3[illegible] J J Jones & Co's Ground Java 30c Chartres' Phœnix Premium 22@25c Rio 2[illegible]c

DRUGS—Quotable in jobbing lots for Alum 6c Borax 20@25c Blue Vitriol 11@13½c Potash Granite 15 cans [illegible] doz $2 [illegible] Rosin ℘ bbl $10@$13 Saltpetre in kegs 16@22c per ℔ Soda Caustic 8½@9c Soda Ash 4½@5c

DRY GOODS—Standard drills 15@16c seconds 14c, sheetings light 11½c medium 11½c standard [illegible] 11@13½c house lining 8½ bleached sheeting 9½@10½ do 13½ do 4-4 [illegible]@25c Cotton Checks 15@30c linen checks 18@25c cambrics 10c Cotton flannel bleached 16@20c do brown 1[illegible]@18c Cottonades light 20@25c do heavy [illegible] Denims 1[illegible]@30c, Hickory stripes 1[illegible] Standard prints 11c seconds, do 9c Delaines 1[illegible]@25c Linseys 30@39c Ticks 3[illegible], 14½@40c do 4-4 10@45 Bear Duck 2[illegible]

FRUITS (dried) AND PRESERVES—Peaches 11½ @12½, Hungarian Prunes 17c, Plums pitless, 12@13c Raisins, in bxs $3 7[illegible] hf do $2 00@4 25 quarter $4 25@$4 50 eighth boxes $0 7 Zante Currants 10½@11½c Oregon do, 10@12½c Citron 40@44c

METALS—Market for jobbing lots for Iron—Scotch and English pig reported in San Francisco $4[illegible] refined bar, ℘ ℔ 4½c, Sheet, 14 to 40, 9c do 28 to 10c. Copper—Sheathing ℘ ℔ 42c, do old [illegible] Yellow 40c sheathing bronzed tinned 4[illegible], do old 16c Tin Plates—Plates, charcoal IX per box $17 50 do I C char $16 Roofing Plates $1[illegible] Banca Tin labs ℘ ℔ 62½c Steel—English cast steel ℘ ℔ 20c Lead—Pig ℘ ℔ 9@10 Sheet, 11c, Pipe 12c Bar 10@10½c Zinc—Sheets ℘ ℔ 14c Babbitt metal, 30@40. Quicksilver, 85c

NAILS Quotable 60d to 10d $4 75 ℘ keg 8d $5 75 6d $5 75 4d and 3d, $6 00 cut spikes $5 75 ℘ keg; finishing [illegible] keg advance on corresponding [illegible] 75c ℘ keg advance on price of common same size

NUTS—Almonds, 25@30c Brazil 20c Filberts 22½c Hickory 20c Peanut, 14c Pecan 20c Walnuts 12½ @15c

OILS—We quote our market in jobbing lots—Devoe's coal [illegible] ℘ gal Downer's [illegible] Standard [illegible] Crystaline in 5 gal cans 3[illegible] Oleight 30c No China Nut, 60@65c Lard in cases, extra, $1 25 No 1 $1 10 in bbls extra, $1 10 Linseed Pioneer (Salem Mills) $1 10@1 1[illegible] gallon

OREGON WOOLEN GOODS—Family Blankets Superfine $2[illegible], XX $13 X $11 50 No 1 extra bound $10 No 1 bound $9 50 No 2, 4 point $8 50 No 3 3 pt $8 50 Cold Blankets 8 pt Gray black border $[illegible] do fancy border $6 75 7 pt Vicuna $7 00 3 pt Scarlet $8 [illegible] 3 pt Green, $7 00 3 pt [illegible] pt Indian Striped $[illegible] pt Gray fancy $[illegible] BB $6 [illegible] 4 pt Vicuna $9 2[illegible] 4 pt Scarlet $11 4 pt Green $9 [illegible] pt Blue $9 00 4 pt Indian $[illegible] No 1 Gray $9 0 Flannels Blue Mix Twilled 52½c Yard Scarlet [illegible]c White plaid 42½c Twilled [illegible] Fancy Shirting twilled 40c Plain Colored 40 to 45 Scarlet plain 47½c Cloths Hard Times $1@$1 75 Cassimeres $1 50 to $1 75, Cassimeres 6-4 $2 10 Doeskins $1 75 to $1 3[illegible], Tweeds 90 to $1 Yarn White and Gray $1 25 Scarlet $1 50 Repellant, $1 10 Clouded $1 6[illegible]

PAINTS—We quote market in jobbing lots for Averill's chemical ℘ gal $2 75 Atlantic 1[illegible]@14 Bartlett, 11@13 North River 11 Greenback 10½ Wm Brown & Sons 13 French Zinc white 16 Devoe's Zinc, white 15 lampblack Eddy's 50@60 Germantown 45@60 ordinary, 2[illegible] Venetian red, 6@8, Havre Ochre 5[illegible] red lead 12[illegible]@13 Litharge, 13@14 fire proof 5@6 cents.

RICE—The supplies are not excessive and jobbers receive through the San Francisco market quotable China 6½@7½c Patna 7½c Island, 8@8½c No Carolina in market

SALERATUS—Darton's 8@8½c, Donnelly's 8 Babbitts 10@10½c

STARCH—The agents rates with the usual discount off to the trade are for Pearl 9¼c pure, 12 ℔ boxes 10½c 1 ℔ papers 11½c silver gloss 6 ℔ bxs 12½c 1-℔ papers, 13c Peoria Satin Glaze 13c Corn, 1 ℔ papers 13c

SUGARS—The stocks here are up to the average in quantity quotable as follows Crushed fine crushed and dry granulated 12½c in bbls and 13¼c in half bbls powdered 1[illegible]c in bbls and 13c in half bbls

SYRUPS—Selling here at San Francisco Refinery prices as full stocks were the rule at the time of the late advance We quote at 67½c ℘ gal in bbls [illegible] in half bbls and 75@77½c in kegs

Retail Family Market.

The following are the prices at which the principal articles of consumption are held by our retail dealers

GREEN FRUITS	
Oranges ℘ doz	1 00
Limes ℘ doz	25
Cocoanuts each	25
Ogn Grapes ℘ ℔	12½
Cranberries ℘ gal	75@90
Lemons ℘ doz	1 00@1 00
Peaches ℘ ℔	
Apples ℘ box	1 50@2 00
Plums, ℘ ℔	none
DRIED FRUIT	
Figs Cal ℘ ℔	16@20
Figs Asia Min new	25@30
Figs " old	20@
Apples	1[illegible]
Plums pitless	15@18
Prunes Ger & Fr	18@
Pears	1@13
Bananas ℘ doz	
GROCERIES	
Coffee ground ℘ ℔	[illegible]
do green C R	30@3[illegible]
do Rio	none
do Java	30
do Mocha	none
Sugar crushed	14½@15
do pulverized	15@16
do granulated	1@15
do Island No 1	11½@12½
do No 2	9@10
do extra	12½
Milk condensed	37
Candles adamant	30@
do Paraffine	35@37
do Sperm	62
Oil Kerosene, ℘ gal	50
Syrup Golden ℘ gal	1 00
Tea—	
Gunpowder	$1 25@1 50
Imperial	1 25@1 50
Young Hyson	1 10@1 40
Hyson	1 00@1 25
Eng Breakfast	1 00
Japan	[illegible]@1 50
PROVISIONS ETC	
Butter—	
Fancy Dairy	50
Good	25@30
Ordinary	18@22½
Cooking	25
Cheese, California	20
do Eastern	25
do Oregon	25
Hams, country	18
do city	18@20
do Sugar-cured	18@20
Shoulders	10@12
Bacon clearsides	12
do Breakfast	1@16
Lard—	
Pure Leaf in tins	16@17½
Good in tins	15
In bulk	12
Honey, Yellow comb	25
do white	37
Eggs ℘ doz.	40
BREADSTUFFS	
Flour—	℘ sack
Fancy brands	1 50
Choice	1 25
Common	1 12½@1 25
Graham extra	1 0
Corn meal, Cal. ℘ ℔	4@
do Oregon	4@5
POULTRY	
Hens grown ℘ pr	$1 00
Roosters	1 00
Spring chickens	87½
Ducks tame	1 25
Geese	1 50
Turkeys	2 50

CANNED GOODS	℘ doz
Oyster 2℔ cans	4 00@4 50
do 1℔ cans	2 75@3 00
Lobsters 2℔ cans	3 00
do 1℔ cans	2 50@3 00
Sardines qr tins	3 50@4 00
do hf tins	5 00@6 00
Clams	4 50@5 00
Green corn 2℔ cns	3 00@3 50
Peas 2℔ cns	4 00@4 50
Beans 2℔ cns	3 00@4 00
Tomatoes 2℔ cns	2 50@3 00
Peaches 2½℔ cns	4 25@4 75
Pineapples 2℔ cns	4 50@5 00
Strawberries	4 00@4 50
Blackberries	4 00@5 00
Apricots 2℔ cns	3 50@4 00
Jellies in tins	4 00@5 00
Jams in tins	4 00@6 00
Mushrooms ℘ doz	6 00
SAUCES ETC	℘ doz pts. qts
Worcestershire	[illegible] 00
Catsup Tomato	[illegible] 50
do Mushroom	[illegible] 00
Capers	[illegible] 00
Curry Powders	[illegible] 00
Mustard Eng	[illegible] 5
do Cal	[illegible] 00
Pickles English pts	6 10
qts	8 00
NUTS	
Almonds ℘ ℔	33
Walnuts	18
Brazil	25@30
Filberts	25
Peanuts	27@30
Pecan	25
Chestnuts	40
Hickory	11½
GAME	
Ducks wild ℘ pair	[illegible]@75
Geese	1 50
Swan	2 00
Grouse	75
Pheasants	62
Venison, ℘ ℔	
FISH	
Eastern Cod, ℘ ℔	12½
Boneless	15@16
Pacific Cod	8@12
Sturgeon	5
Salmon	8@10
Desiccated Cod	20
Mackerel, ℘ kit	2 50@4 50
Fresh Oysters, ℘ 100	50
VEGETABLES	
Squash, Cal ℘ ℔	
Beets	3
Onions	2@2½
Carrots	3
Turnips	2
Blackberries ℘ gal	00
Cherries, ℘ ℔	00
Cabbage ℘ doz	1 50@2 00
Cauliflower	2 00@3 00
Potatoes	2½
Asparagus	00
Lettuce ℘ doz	00
MEATS	
Beef ℘ ℔	8@10
do choice cuts	10@15
Mutton	8@12½
" choice cuts	
Veal	10@12½
Pork	10@12½
do choice cuts	

Arrival and Departure of Mails at the Portland Post Office.

Eastern and California through mail arrives daily at 4 10 p m. Closes at 6 a. m

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The Dalles and Eastern Oregon, Washington Territory and Idaho arrives daily (Sunday excepted) between 4 and 8 p m Closes at 9 p m

Kalama Olympia St. Helens [illegible] Rainier Astoria, arrives daily (Sunday excepted) at about 6 p m Closes at 5 a. m

Sauvies Island Mount Coffin Skomockaway, Cathlamet, Eagle Cliff Oak Point, leaves Monday, Wednesday and Friday arrives Tuesday Thursday and Saturday between 3 and 6 p m Closes at 5 30 a. m

Scappoose Westport Columbia City Willamette Slough leaves Tuesday Thursday and Saturday arrives Monday Wednesday and Friday at about 6 p m Closes at 5.30 a. m

Knappa leaves Thursday arrives Friday about 6 p m Closes at 5 30 a m

Lafayette via Tualatin Middleton and Newburg closes Friday at 6 a m arrives Saturday 7 p m

Salem via Damascus Eagle Creek, Cuttingsville Butte Creek and Silverton leaves Friday at 6 a m arrives Wednesday at 6 p m Closes 9 p m

Scholls Ferry, leaves Saturday arrives Monday at 10 a. m Closes at 10 a. m

White Salmon W T leaves Saturday arrives Monday at 4 p m

Sitka Alaska once a month

San Francisco Cal by steamer tri monthly

Hood River and Shell Rock (Oregon) leave Saturday at 5 A M , arrive Monday evening

Coos Bay mails arrive Tuesday and Friday and going connect at Roseburg Monday and Thursday

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Ordinance No. 1596.

AN ORDINANCE MAKING APPROPRIATIONS out of the Fire Department Fund

The City of Portland does ordain as follows

Section 1 The following sums are hereby appropriated out of the Fire Department Fund viz

For quarterly allowances to the several Fire Companies as provided by Ordinance No 1145 the sum of six thousand nine hundred and sixty dollars

For the supply of water to July 1, 1875 under a contract heretofore entered into with the Portland Water Co eighteen hundred dollars

For rent of house for use of Vigilance Hook and Ladder Co No 1 one hundred and fifty dollars

For salary of Chief Engineer of the Fire Department eight hundred dollars

For salary of Fire Warden four hundred dollars

For salary of Secretary of the Fire Department two hundred dollars

Passed the Common Council January 20 1875
W S CALDWELL
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Approved January 23 1875
HENRY FAILING
Mayor

Ordinance No. 1595.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING A CHANGE in the mode of lighting certain Street Lamps

The City of Portland does ordain as follows

Section 1 Whenever a contract for lighting street lamps with gas shall be entered into with the Portland Gas Light Co as provided by Ordinance No 1778 the Committee on Streets and Public Property are hereby authorized to connect the street lamps in which oil is now being consumed situated within fifty feet of the gas mains of said Company as now laid with said mains and substitute gas for oil as the illuminating material for said lamps *provided* such change shall not reduce the number of oil lamps below one hundred

Passed the Common Council January 20 1875
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Ordinance No. 1594.

AN ORDINANCE MAKING A TRANSFER from the Willamette River Fund to the Fund for Interest on Bonds

The City of Portland does ordain as follows

Section 1 The moneys arising from the sale of certain Bonds having been placed in the Willamette River Fund to defray the expense of improving the navigation of said river including the purchase of boats and apparatus and said Bonds having been taken up by the issue of other Bonds upon which interest is being paid and there being no further necessity for providing for the improvement of the navigation of said river the balance remaining in the fund arising from the sale of boats and apparatus is hereby declared to be applicable to the payment of interest on said last named Bonds and for that purpose the sum of eighteen hundred and fifty six dollars and seventy nine cents is hereby appropriated and transferred from the Willamette River Fund to the Fund for Interest on Bonds

Passed the Common Council January 20 1875
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Ordinance No. 1593.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING A TEMPORARY loan

The City of Portland does ordain as follows

Section 1 To provide for the payment of allowances to the several Fire Companies, for a supply of water and for the current expenses of the Fire Department until the collection of taxes for the year 1875 the Auditor and Clerk of the City of Portland on behalf of said city is hereby authorized and directed to borrow the sum of twenty five hundred dollars gold coin for ninety days with interest not exceeding twelve per cent per annum and execute a note or obligation therefor, the proceeds thereof to be placed in the Fire Department Fund

Section 2 Out of the first money received from any tax for Fire Department purposes the City Treasurer is hereby directed to pay the amount of said loan and interest

Passed the Common Council January 20 1875
W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

Approved January 22, 1875
HENRY FAILING,
Mayor

Ordinance No. 1590.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE PURCHASE of certain real property in the City of Portland

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. In order to provide grounds for public buildings public works and city improvements the Auditor and Clerk of the City of Portland is hereby authorized to purchase on behalf of the city at a sale to be made by the Chief of Police for delinquent street assessments the following described real property viz Lot number one (1) and four (4) in block number one hundred and five (105) Couch's Addition lots five (5) and six (6) in block three hundred and thirteen (313) and lot seven (7) in block three hundred and fifteen (315) in Gillihan's Addition to the City of Portland *Provided* the cost thereof shall in no case exceed the amount named in the warrant for the sale of either of said lots as the amount to be collected for the assessment made by Ordinance No 1350 for the improvement of B street together with legal costs and charges

Passed the Common Council January 13 1875
W S CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk

Approved January 14, 1875
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ANnual meeting of the Stockholders of the Odd Fellows Hall Association of Portland Oregon will be held at Odd Fellows Temple corner First and Alder streets in the city of Portland on TUESDAY the second day of February A D 1875 at 8 o clock P M By order

A N GAMBELL, Secretary

Portland Jan 25 1875 ja..td

DELINQUENT TAX NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Directors of School District No 1, in Multnomah county Oregon has authorized the Clerk to give an extension of time of 30 days from the 24th of December 1874 for the payment of delinquent taxes After which further costs will be made by distraint and sale of property

J D HOLMAN,
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[illegible] Dr. Gibbon's [illegible]
623 [illegible]

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Horrible [illegible]

How many the [illegible] female are there who are [illegible] existence from the effects of [illegible] broken-down on [illegible] the happiness of marriage or [illegible] In this horrid situation [illegible] alone the one [illegible] tend to [illegible] horrible, life is [illegible] cared for and cured [illegible] immediately to DR. GIBBON [illegible] without [illegible] portant to those who are [illegible] are interested in the [illegible] careful of the many [illegible] all cities [illegible] to a few days [illegible] the use of [illegible] other places [illegible] inquiry, or you may fall into [illegible]

This solitary vice, or [illegible] unlimited [illegible] the following [illegible] low countenance dark spots [illegible] the head, tingling in the ears [illegible] of leaves and [illegible] the loins, weakness of the limbs [illegible] approaching [illegible] memory, [illegible] the heart [illegible] frequent [illegible] apply immediately [illegible] have a cure effected by [illegible] of [illegible] a quick and [illegible] Hundred Dollars to any [illegible] perfectly to him that he [illegible] point by [illegible] of the San F[illegible]

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LEGAL NOTICE.

IN the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Multnomah county—David [illegible] plaintiff vs H J Stevenson and [illegible] son defendants. To H J [illegible] Stevenson defendants—In the name of the State of Oregon you and each of you are hereby required to appear and answer [illegible] you in the above [illegible] day of the next regular [illegible] shall be held after six [illegible] tion of this summons, which [illegible] commenced and held on [illegible] February A D 1875, and if [illegible] and answer the plaintiff will [illegible] you and each of you for the [illegible] hundred dollars and interest [illegible] States gold coin at the rate of [illegible] since October 29 A D 1874, and [illegible] of two hundred and fifty [illegible] disbursements of this suit, and [illegible] against you for the [illegible] you to plaintiff to secure the payment of [illegible] of these parcels of [illegible] city of Portland in Multnomah [illegible] upon which are described on [illegible] be all of lot numbered three (3) [illegible] (4) and the [illegible] (5) and six (6) in block number [illegible] and twelve 312, in said city, and [illegible] in said county and state, which [illegible] ed and described as follows [illegible] 13 33⅓ chains east of the [illegible] 35 and 36 in township 1 north, [illegible] Willamette meridian running [illegible] chains; thence north 7.50 [illegible] chains, thence south 7 50 [illegible] ginning being a part of the [illegible] Wm C Bowring and [illegible] lands to pay said sums [illegible] other relief as may be equitable [illegible] ing service of this summons by [illegible] December 19 1874.

JOHN CATLIN [illegible]
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NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the District of Oregon. In the matter of Henry [illegible] rupt District of Oregon, ss [illegible] estate of Henry [illegible] Lane and State of Oregon, who has been duly adjudged [illegible] petition of his creditors, [illegible] any debts and the delivery [illegible] ing to said bankrupt, to him [illegible] transfer of any property by [illegible] law A meeting of the [illegible] to prove their debts and [illegible] assignees of his estate, will be [illegible] Bankruptcy to be holden at [illegible] said District on the 10th day [illegible] 1875 at 11 o'clock A M at [illegible] up the Register in Bankruptcy [illegible]

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EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN]

A Terrible Crime.

Jeffersonville Ind August 30—A terrible outrage resulting in the death of the victim, was [illegible] near Henryville last night Augustus Gardner while walking along the railroad track was set upon by three men who robbed him of five dollars [illegible] bound him across the track and left him He succeeded in freeing his body from the ropes but before he could get his legs loose a train came along and though he managed to throw his body off the track his left leg was cut off He lay beside the track all night He was picked up by a [illegible] train this morning, but died soon after

Mrs Beecher Attacked with Heart Disease.

New York August 30—Services were held at Plymouth Church this morning and evening. No reference was made to the scandal At the evening service Mrs Beecher had an attack of heart disease [illegible] subject and had to be carried to her home.

Henry Ward Beecher in New Hampshire.

Twin Mountain, August 30—Beecher preached to-day to an audience of over 1000 His text was the 1th and 4th verses of the 12th chapter of Romans and the sermon is pronounced to be one of his most successful efforts

Gov. Taylor, of Wisconsin, on the Potter Law.

Chicago August 30—Gov Taylor of Wisconsin, addressed a meeting of grangers at Monroe [illegible] day Referring to the Potter law he said the Company's own statements show that railroads doing the same amount of business as last year would net more than 5 per cent of their gross earnings. He further stated on the same authority that the St. Paul Company earned enough last year above expenses and interest on bonds to pay 7 per cent. on common and preferred stock in conclusion he expressed the belief that when the people had established their power over the railroads, it would be used with moderation and justice.

Glendenning in Court.

New York August 31—Rev John S. Glendenning was in court to-day at Jersey City in the suit of the [illegible] to compel him to maintain the child of Mary Pomeroy Counsel for the prosecution endeavored to have the statement of Miss Pomeroy made before her death admitted as evidence but failing withdrew the complaint Glendenning was then proceeded against on charges of seduction and breach of promise

Miscellaneous News.

Chicago August 31—Gen Custer reports to Lieut Gen Sheridan on his return to-day to Fort Lincoln Of the Black Hills expedition he says Our route on Bear Butte was by way of Little Missouri river until the head waters of Heart river was reached when we moved almost due East to this post We explored and located that portion of the Little Missouri hitherto unknown about one thousand miles.

New York August 31—Ex Governor Herbert of Louisiana has begun a libel suit against the World [illegible] for $40 000

Five hundred Mennonites arrived on the steamer [illegible]

New York August 30—The sixty days notice at the Freedman's Savings Bank expired yesterday Its affairs remained unchanged and business is still suspended

WASHINGTON CITY.

Postal Changes for the Pacific Coast.

Washington August 30—Office established at Alvord Grant county Or J Abbott P M; name changed—Ship Island Whatcom county, W T, to [illegible] Postmaster appointed—Henry Hunt, at Clarksville Baker county, Or

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

Russia Declines to Recognize the Spanish Republic.

Vienna, August 30—The new *Free Press* publishes the text of a circular note from the Russian Government dated Aug 19th declining to recognize Spain The note says Russia cannot recognize a Government which is unrecognized in its own country that she has no wish to interfere with the internal affairs of Spain and favors no party there

Spanish News.

Madrid August 30—Gen Copez Dominguez is marching to the relief of Puigcerda. He arrived [illegible] Carlists made a night attack on Puigcerda again but were driven back with heavy loss They burned their dead It is reported the Carlists suffered heavily in an engagement near Ripoll

Quarantine at Queenstown.

London August 31—Quarantine regulations have been put in force at Queenstown which cause great hindrance to commerce All persons are prohibited leaving or embarking on vessels from ports in America West Indies and the Mediterranean Sea, even if it is ascertained such vessels have clean bills of health

London News.

London, August 31—The new ship *Sierra Nevada*, which sailed from Liverpool July 21 for San Francisco took fire and was destroyed. Crew saved

The *Great Eastern* up to yesterday noon had paid out 600 nautical miles of cable of the American company's cable

SANDWICH ISLANDS.

San Francisco August 30—The *Jukaio* brought no mails from Honolulu but there is news to Aug 19th The King prorogued the Assembly August 8th The King and all the members of the Assembly [illegible] and in the construction of telegraph lines and the encouragement of steam navigation with foreign countries and [illegible] strongly in favor of reciprocity treaties particularly favoring one with the United States [illegible] will be wanting [illegible] so desirable a result. The King appointed J S Walker and F L Kawainui Special Commissioners to collect and forward to the Philadelphia [illegible] Exhibition objects illustrative of the industries and manufactures of the Hawaiian Kingdom.

The British war ship *Scout* was expected to arrive with a party to observe the transit of Venus from the islands

AUSTRALIA.

The Sydney *Morning Herald* says the rumor that the steamer line to San Francisco had been suspended was without foundation. The Melbourne *Argus* complains that the mail service on the line is very deficient that California dates are generally anticipated by vessels via Suez and as far as Melbourne is concerned the California service is useless

Twenty five more bodies have been recovered from the wreck of the *British Admiral* and a portion of the cargo saved and brought to Melbourne

The Discovery ship *Challenger* had finished sounding for the cable between Sydney and Wellington New Zealand

WEST INDIES.

Terrible Slaughter of Spanish Troops in Cuba.

New York August 31—Shortly before the battle of [illegible] a Spanish Captain of regulars left the city [illegible] and passed over to the Cuban army While the Cuban troops were approaching the city he was [illegible] An ambuscade was laid to defeat the Spaniards and the whole Spanish column (which is stated to be 1,000 strong) fell and were either cut to pieces or found safety in flight

Dockery Again.

Havana August 31—Dockery has been brought from [illegible] to Port Cabana in this city where he will remain until sent to Spain

The Position of the United States— The Pall Mall *Gazette* calls attention to the fact that in the list of governments represented at the Brussels Conference that of the United States is not included This abstention on the part of the United States is due to the persistent adherence of the so-called Monroe doctrine, by which she takes no active part as to the affairs of Europe. The United States Government declined, in a similar manner, to be represented at the Geneva Conference for the amelioration of the sick and wounded in war. What is also remarkable is the fact that before the Geneva Conference assembled the American Government had already proclaimed the neutrality of surgeons, hospitals and ambulances in the field. Its example [illegible] the Brussels Conference [illegible] the armies of the United States [illegible] every one of the principles and rules which are regarded as new—are now in [illegible] with more or less solemnity at Brussels.

Three Men Lost at Sea.—The *Achamuc* [illegible] arrived in port yesterday had a severe weather on the passage from Astoria [illegible] She left there on the 19th of July and [illegible] until the 20th ult In latitude [illegible] she encountered a heavy hurricane from the east which lasted [illegible] The ship was thrown on her beam ends and the seas which rushed on board swept her decks. Her sails were blown away [illegible] was lost the main hatch was [illegible] and the cargo was damaged. Three men were carried overboard and lost Their names were Joseph Hughes, English, aged twenty; Manuel Joseph Cape de Verde, aged twenty and John Brown, Australia, aged twenty five.—*S F [illegible] Aug 28th*